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Jim Patikas

Come off it Doc. are best

With everyone preoccupied by the World Cup, I was surprised to read Tommy Docherty ad-vocating that Australia should cash in on the 600 or so outof-work profes-sionals in England.

Docherty wrote in a news-paper column that Australian clubs should import some of

clubs should import some of the players. But look at the smaller nations that have done well in the World Cup. Honduras, Cameroon, Kluwait, Algeria all fielded excellent teams made up of home-grown play-ers, most of whom showed ers, most of whom showed tremendously high level of skill.

Skill.

They don't rely on imports, and neither should we, because it becomes clearer as every year goes by, that we have excellent players right here at home.

home
Docherty himself has said that Katholos, Ziras, Peter Wilson, Koussa, and Jennings are capable of playing anywhere in the world.

If so, why advocate bringing in foreigners who will keppe out similar budding stars?
Davidson, Blair, Nicolaides, Tzigaras, Yankos, Bekiaris, Valentine, Stater, Licas, Calderon, Patikas, McCulloch, Carbone, Craig Lowe, Belic, Ilioski, Ristovski — some esablished stars, other quite Ilioski, Ristovski — some esablished stars, others quite new on the scene — all have



Socrates Nicolaides



learned their soccer right here.
And it is with such players that we will revive our national team — not with out-of-work professionast from overseas.
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prove these players even more.

We showed what could be done late last year, when only had luck prevented Australia from going all the way into the final of the World Youth Championship, and perhaps even winning it.

Countries like Honduras, Kuwait, Algeria and Cameroon obviously planned very well for the future and their coaches worked very hard on the raw material available in their own back yards, so much so that in 10 or 20 years time, I can see an African country in particular, going all the way to a World Cup final.

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Zbigniew Boniek has been suspended from Poland's World Cup semi-final on Friday morning, Australian

time.

The brilliant midfielder, one of the finest players in the championship, was shown the yellow card for the second time of the series against the USSR. Under the rules, he therefore

must serve a one-match suspension.

His absence limits Poland's chances of causing an upset, but should it win its semi-final, Bonlek will be back for the final.

Poland's opponent on Friday is Italy which beat Brazil 3-2 in their last group match, with Paolo Rossi scoring 3 goals. France was the first nation to qualify for the semis, thrashing Northern Ireland 4-1 with a breathtaking display of skilful, attacking soccer, during which midfield

star Michel Platini played with a plaster bandage on his injured leg.
France is recognised as the most skilful team apart from Brazil, but it has been criticised for lacking punch. It meets West Germany which qualified for semi flinals after England had managed only a scoreless draw with Spain.
What chance a Poland v. Franca final? It would be the biggest upset in World Cup history.
The final will be played in Madrid at 4 am on Monday morning our time.

Shootouts, two refs for Pele

Former superstar Pele has proposed major changes in the way inter-national soccer is played, warning that "rigid con-servatism threatens the image of soccer."

In a letter to Joao Hevelange, president of FIFA, Pele suggested the use of two referees instead of one, institution of the shootout to resolve draws and substitution of official warnings with five-minute immediate suspensions for fouls

Pele proposed that two ref-erees instead of one control games, one at each half of the field. He also wants to abolish official cautions at maches. Instead, Pele suggested a player be suspended from the game for five ninutes if he breaks a rule, a procedure similar to that used in ice hockey.

"Two referees would more easily resolve calls and would avoid conflicts on and off the field," he said. "I am not attacking the referees as much as I am the organisers, who give the referees so much responsibility."

A \$2.1 million sponsorship deal for Australia's 1986 World Cup campaign appears to have been finalised in Spain by Australian Soccer Federation president, Sir Arthur

George.

The federation's executive director, Brien Le Fevre said: "Sir Arthur has had wide-ranging discussions with Patrick Nally of West Nally Limited on the details.
"He will announce all plans when he returns to Sydney on August 6:"
The money will be used exclusively for the national teams at youth and senior level.
West Nally has withdrawn from the marketing of the World Cup series in 1986 and 1990 and will devote its activities mainly to the United States and Australia.
Its Sydney headquarters will be greatly extended in coming months.

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Sir Arthur said: "The sponsorship is what I have been working for since we were eliminated from the World Cup qualifying

or since we were eliminated from the World Cup qualifying frounds.

"The \$2.1 million is in excess of what we received from West Nally for our 1982 World Cup campaign.

The Philips League is not included in the sponsorship, but plans have been drawn up to present to the PSL administrators.

This includes a soccer competition similar to rugby league's KB Cup and Australian football's Escort Cup series on TV. The channel likely to be involved is the ABC.

A proposal will be put forward at the FIFA congress next Friday to give Oceania a seat on the FIFA Executive.

Such a move could help cut down the tremendous travel in World Cup elimination games.

A move is also underway for a Brazilian side and team of Brazilian coaches to visit Australia.

It is planned that seven Brazilian clubs will tour the underdeveloped soccer mations after this World Cup to spread the Brazilian doctrine.

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Brazilian doctrine.

Sir Arthur has also made a request to FIFA president, Mr Joao Havelange, that a team of Brazilian coaches visits Australia to teach the Brazilian coaching method to local coaches.

Australia will seek FIFA approval next week to stage an eighnation Pacific Cup tournament next year.

The Australian Socre Federation's Brian Emery, who left today for Spain, will contact prospective competitors while attending the FIFA congress in Madrid.

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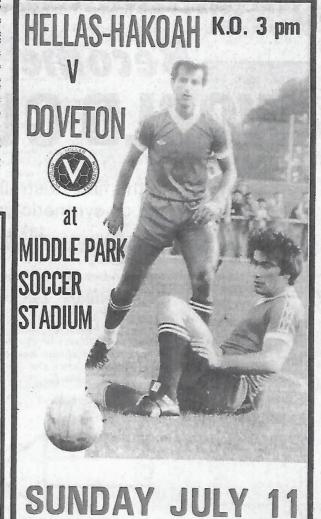
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Northern Ireland made vo changes for this vital orld Cup second-round roup D match.

Pat Jennings returned to goal after injury forced him to miss the 2-2 draw with Austria and Mal Donaghy, sent off in the 1-0 first round win over Spain, resumed at left-back. The Irish wanted a win to

When I said during the 1978 World Cup that Italy would be a

big threat to the world giants, many people, including Ray Clemence who was

doing a Craig John-ston as ABC com-

mentator at the time, didn't take me

Italy however, beat Argentina in that world

seriously.

ITALIANS

Mastermind

Platini

reach the semi-final while France, needing a draw to go through, made three changes from the side who started the 1-0 win over Austria.

through, made three changes from the side who started the 1-0 win over Austria. Midfield star Michel Platini, injured in the first round, came out with plaster on his injured right thigh. Defender Manuel Amoros returned after a one-match suspension and Dominique Rocheteau, a substitute last time, took a place in the attack.

Here was almost a repeat of the last time these teams met in the World Cup finals. In Sweden, 24 years ago, the French won 4-0 in a quarter final.

Iin the 35-degree celsius heat of Madrid's Calderon Sta-dium, the Irishmen went out with pride, after winning the

hearts of nearly everyone who saw them battle unexpectedly through to the second round. They played as well as they had in their earlier four matches in the finals, but there were not match for a French side which was solid in defence, stylish in midfield and devastaining in attack.

The centre of the pitch was each of blue French shirts virtually throughout the match as even full backs Maxime Bossis and Manuel Amoros and sweeper Marius Tresor pushed forward.

Platini was at the heart of

forward.
Platini was at the heart of most French attacks and it was when he won his way to the by-line and laid the ball neatly back that Giresse was on hand to slot the ball home and put France ahead in the 34th minute.

In the second half, Domique Rocheteau brought the score of 3-0 with goals in the 47th and 69th minutes.

Gerry Armstrong pulled one back for the Irishmen in the 76th minute, but Giresse was on target again in 81 minutes to complete the scoreline.

From-

It was a great job by the inexperienced staff, and they
were on the right path after a
couple of hours. The manager
ris, was furious, while waiting
for photographer permits and
credentials to be sorted out.
His comment was: "This is a
mad house!" but a little bit
later he was as happy as
everybody else.

Of course he forgot the conditions for Press people at
Olympic Park, even during the
C o c a-C o 1 a Y o u t h
Championship

At one stage, just before the
opening ceremony, the playing
arena was totally covered by

ON A CHA LLENGE

championship, and was one of the big powers of the series. It came as no surprise to me therefore that Italy beat Argentina this time. Italy is a funny team. Very rarely does it concede more than one goal even to the best of teams, but against the minows, it seems to lose concentration a bit. In 1974, for example, it struggled to beat Haiti, in 1966 it lost to South Korea, and this time it managed only a score But against one of the giants, the Italian character makes the players tick the way they should. It's a feeling for the big time, and also very much a matter of pride.

It's just a shame that Italy, Argentina and Brazil landed in the same group, for only one of them can advance.

Watching the St George v Adelaide City game recently, I was tremendously impressed by the immaculate ball disribution of Adelaide City goal-

Keeper Bobby Ferguson.
Since Ron Corry, I have not seen a goalkeeper who can distribute the ball via his foot or

tribute the ball via his foot or hand as accurately as Fergu-son — and the latter is even better at it than Corry was. Why, even Adelaide City's equalising goal, scored by Sergio Melta, came from a long kick-in from Ferguson.

Ferguson of course piayed for West Ham for 14 years, and he is living proof of the kind of excellence that professional coaching can develop.

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Talking about professional for the was well marked by Bobby Russell and Neville Flounders, yet when John Nyskohus made a mistake in an attempted back-pass, Marton, with the help of Peter Stone, showed super coolness in slotting away the goal that put Saints 2-1 ahead.

It puzzles me that all the reporters wrote about Dennis Duarte's own goal against Suints, and did not mention the equally costly mistake made by John Nyskohus.

ZIKA NIKOLIC

hordes of photographers TV-cameramen.

hordes of photographers and TV-cameramen. Some nagging people have mentioned the unfinished work in the photographer of the property of the pr

cover many weaknesses of his team.

The last few training games against Yugoslav teams were a good warning to Miljanic but he did not change his mind.

The spanish journalists do not spare words about the poor performance of the Spanish national team. The referees helped it to reach the second phase to save Mundial from financial disaster. This is admitted by the Spanish press. Their comment is: The Spanish team looks very poor in this World Cup. The football our players have displayed has

been among the worst of the first round. The man chiefly responsible for this low quality game is Jose Emilio Santama-ria, who instructed, organised and trained the men who went are the field?

ria, wno instructed, organised and trained the men who went on the field".

All Spain is praising Poland's Boniek. The Polish midfielder, recently signed by Juventus, has given a virtuoso performance of football performanc

Minister.

She hoped that they would be good representatives for Britain, like the young men with the Falklands task force.

Britain, like the young men with the Falklands task force. Her pleas fell on deaf ears. Groups of young English soccer fans helped to destroy the goodwill of Spaniards and holiday makers along the profitish coastline between Bilbao and San Sebastian. Rene Courte, FIFA secretary, admits that West Germany and Austria "liked" their match but it would be "difficult to prove". The case would be examined by the organising committee. Algeria called for the disqualification of the Germans and Austrians. The worlds press tended to back the Algerian allegations. Spain's El. PAIS said: "The only things they falled to do was kiss each other. It was a day of shame". Even in Norway they claimed: ".... If was one of the darkest chapters in the history of soccer... and the could just as well have exchanged shirts before the match."

Indoor turf

A \$20,000 synthetic turf sur-A 22,000 synthetic turf sur-face which was used in last year's indoor tournament at Festival Hall, will be laid down in premises at Slough Road, Altona (Vic) to provide the first indoor soccer facility of its nature in Australia.

The indoor game which is becoming more and more pop-ular through the world is spreading fast in Australia.

spreading fast in Australia.

Last November, Melbourne was the venue for the televised series from Festival Hall.

In Sydney organised competitions for all age groups and women are well advanced.

Because of the popularity of the game, lack of suitable arenas is posing a big problem for organisers.

The Philipse Leave.

The Philip's League has plans for an indoor competition in the future, but once again suitable venues will be a

In America the indoor game is booming, with crowds of some 20,000 attending games. The franchise which cost \$25,-000 five years ago is now at \$1‡

900 five years ago is now at \$14 million World class players like Pele and Beckenbauer are of the opinion the indoor game is a great training ground for skills, especially for juniors. Melbourne has over 500 junior teams at all levels. No doubt this new indoor facility will attract the attention of clubs, coaches, and parents, especially during the heavy winter conditions. It will not interfere with the

It will not itnerfere with the official outdoor competitions because it will be run only on because it will be run only on weekdays. Teams will be able to carry

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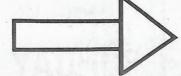
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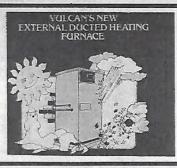
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Lico, Illaradona



Diego Maradona, sent off, bows his head in disgrace, as he gets a reassuring pat from Al-



Full back Junior slots one of Brazil's three goals past Ubaldo Fillol.

Baltacha's effort not enough

POLAND 0 SOVIET UNION 0 in Barcelona. Referee Bog Valentine (Scotland) 7. SOVIET UNION — Dasayev, 8, Sulakvelid-

SOVIET UNION — Dasayav 8, Sulakveliche 8, Chivedhe 7, Bal-techa 8, Deyananko 7, Barouxid 8, Bassanov 6, Oganesyan 7, Gavrilov 6, Shengolie 8, Blothin 6, POLAND — Mitynerczyk 8, Dalabe 8, Zerude 8, Janes 8, Majewald 8, Buncol 7, Leto 8, Metyslik 7, Kupcwwicz 7, Boniek 6, Smolarek 7, Kupcwwicz 7, Boniek 6, Smolarek 7,

Baltacha marked Po-Baitacha markeu ru-land's star Boniek out of the game to clinch a score-less draw, but that result turfed the Soviets out of the World Cup and sent to Poles into the semi-finals.

The crowd jeered and whis-tled the lack of action and also showed their disapproval when the Spanish police removed a number of banners supporting the Polish free trade union solidarity.

the Poiss free trade union solidarity. Poland seemed curiously un-qilling to attack, apparently satisfied with a 0-0 scoreline which would maintain their unbeaten record and clinch their simi-final place.

And the Polish defence had little difficulty in dealing with a lightweight Soviet attack.

Play was bogged down in midfield for long periods, but fussy scottish referee Robert Valentine still booked five

players.

The Poles carved their best chances midway through the second half and Soviet goal-keeper Rinat Dasaev had to save in quick succession from Walkemar Matysik and Boniek.

Before the match,

Before the match, Polish coach Antoni Piechniczeck had proclaimed: "We will beat them easily."

The Poles rarely looked like doing that, but they seldon looked like losing either

Poland will be without the services of star midfielder Zbignew Bonier in the semis Scorer of four goals in the tournament, he was cautioned and faces a one-match suspension, next match.

With their compatriots living under martial law at home, the Polish players saw the game in Barcelona's Nou Camp Stadium as a chance to lift national morale.

lift national morale.

Nothing would have been sweeter for the Poles than to beat the Russians. "We want to win for our people," was the simple but telling comment of Boniek, Poland's gifted midfield player:

outstanding players in the Cup have been Jozef Miynarczyk, who with England's Peter Shitton has the best goalkeeping record of the finals, having conceded only one goal, Boniek in midfield and Grzegorz Lato, supposedly a striker but who has roamed tirelessiy all over the field.

The last time a polish team

posedly a striker but who has roamed tirelessly all over the field.

The last time a polish team and a Soviet side had met was in March, when Legia Warsaw lost 1-0 in Warsaw to Dinamo Tbillisi in a European Cup-Winners' Cup Match.

Careful to forestall any serious disturbances, the authorities packed the stadium with uniformed and armed police and soldiers.

Despite this, jeers and whistless rose from the fans isolated throughout the stadium every time a Soviet player touched the ball.

Similar passions were aroused in the World Cup game.

"You must understand we don't really dislike the Russian players themselves." said one ardent supporter, "but just

BRAZIL 3 (Zico 12th., Serginho 67th, Junior 74th) AR-GENTINA 1 (Ramon Diaz 89th) at Barcelona. Referee: Mario Rubio Vasquez (Mexico).

ARGENTINA: Ubeldo Fillol, Jorge Olguin, Luis Gelvan, Daniel Paszarella, Alberto Terantini, Os-valdo Ardies, Juan Barbas, Diego Maradona, Daniel Bartoni, Gabriel Calderon, Mario Kampes. Substitu-tes: Hector Baley, Julio Olarico-ches, Erac Trossero, Ramon Dlaz,

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Diego Maradona, the young Argentine who was the centre of so much expectation before the World Cup finals started, prepared to leave for home carrying a burden of bitter disappointment.

disappointment.

For Maradona, the finals ended four minutes early when he was sent off in a heated climax to the second-round match against Brazil. The Brazillans won 3-1 and Argentina's four-year reign as world champlons was over.

As Maradona walked from the pitch he crossed himself and fought back tears.

and fought back tears.

Over the past month Maradona has himself been subjected to some of the harsh treatment that reduced Pele to an invalid but there could be no excuse for the way he thrust his boot, studs first, into Batista's groin in this match.

And no one is more aware of this than Maradona himself.

"I recognise publicly that my expulsion was totally justified," He said. "My tackle was very hard. My leg just went. I am sorry."

Maradona conceded: "Bra-Maradona conceded: "Bra-Maradona conceded: "Bra-

Maradona conceded: "Bra-zil was the better team. We lost to the future world champion."

cost to the future world champion."

Of the five matches that Maradona played, only against El Salvador and Hungary in the first round in Alicante did he show anything approaching his best form. He was unable to cope with the vigorous manto-man marking of Belgium and Italy and his skills were suffocated by the superb technique of Brazil's defence.

Maradona's victim Batista, bad come on moments centler for Zico, who had been put out of the game by a tackle from Argentine captain Daniel Passarella. Zico suffered a Kinge injury.

Passarella's foùl and Maradona's sending off brought the match to a bitter end.

Eder, The Brazilian winger, was uncompromising in his condemnation of Passarella. Till is incomprehensible that a professional player like Passarella a should behave that way, he said. "In the match to little that a professional player like Passarella should behave that way, he said." In the match the is a coward."

It was Zico who put Brazil the best to victory with a met ha victory with a coward."



French star

12th-minute goal, his fourth of the finals, and Serginho and junior also scored before Ramon Diaz collected Argenti-na's goal in the dying mo-ments.

ments.

Argentine manager Cesar
Luis Menotti spoke later of the
"unique Ball Control" of the
Brazilians but said that the
real difference between the
two teams was the finishing.

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Zico created and scored
Brazil's opening goal, splitting
the Argentine defence wide
open with a slide-rule pass into the path of Serginho who
was roughly pulled down from
behind by Passarella 30
metres out.

Eder's venomous free kick thudded off the crossbar and the ever-alert Zlco was on hand to stroke his fourth goal of the competition over the line.

The tireless and elegant Falcao set up the second goal with a measured cross which Sergino Headed sweetly past Argentine goalkeeper Ubaldo Fillol.

Fillol.

Brazil, which has not lost to its traditional rivals for 12 years, took the tally to three when Zico set up a perfect opening for junior who beat Fillol with acrisp left-footer.

Fillol with acrisp left-footer.
Argentina, needing a win to retain any hope of keeping the title, made two changes to the title, made two changes to the team which lost 2-1 to Italy in the opening group game.

Juan Barbas came into midfield for the suspended Americo Gallego and Gabriel Calderon returned to the attack in place of Ramon Diaz.
Brazil named the side which collected maximum points in qualifying for the second round.



Brazil's coach Tele Santana puts goalkeeper Carlo Alberto Gallo through a training ses-

Few World Cup stars can have such an unusual background as Brazilian champion midfielder Toninho Cerezo.

The son of a clown and an actress, Cerezo was raised in a circus permanently situated in Belo Horizonte, where he commenced his playing career with the Athletico Mineriro club.

club.
The player, whose full name is Antonio Carlos Cerezo Toninho, made his first team debut for Athletico in 1974 against bitter local rival Cruzeiro.
Although Cruzeiro was on the road to its third successive Minas Gerais State League title, it was beaten 3-0 that day and the elegant, energetic newcomer had taken the first step towards stardom.

newcomer had taken the first step towards stardom.
In 1976 Athletico finally broke Cruzeiro's stranglehold on the State Championship and in the same year Cerezo gained his first international cap against Colombia.
Remembering his father's profas sion Cruzeiro fars had been quick to dub Cerezo' The Clown' but they like the rost of the footballing world, came to begrudgingly acknowledge their respect for a rare talent.

field.

It was during last year's Mundialito in Uruguay that Cerezo proved himself worthy of a place amongst the game s elite. Although Brazil was beaten in the final by the host, he was named "Player of the Tourna-

By Paul Moon

He played in six of Brazil's World Cup games in Argentina, but failed to flapplay his beat form being restricted by the deep lying role manager Claudio Coutinho designated for him.

Tele Santana though has given his dynamic linkman the opportunity to roduce the full array of skills he possesses in the right side of mid-leid.

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KNUT WERNER

WEST GERMANY 2 (Littbarski 50th, Fischer 75th) SPAIN 1 (Zamora 82nd) in Madrid Referee Paolo Casarin (Italy) 8.

WEST GERMANY: Sci - Kaltz 7, Stielike 6, K.

The Germans showed they can attack when they want to, but overall, this performance demonstrated once again that the German team is inferior to its predecessors.

Tattically it is well-organ.

its predecessors.
Tactically, it is well-organ-ised and highly intelligent, but flair is missing.
Captain Rummenigge, prob-ably because of a lingering leg-nipury, was inconspicuous and eventually was replaced by Reinders, leaving Littbarski as the only effective forward.



Pierre Littbarski (right), scorer of Germany's first goal, is congratulated by Hans-Peter Briegel and Paul Breitner.

Spain deserved to be eliminated. West Germany, after this game, had not really earned the right to go any further.

Spain's defeat means a host team will not win the cup for the first time since the Mexico finals in 1970, breaking a sequence of victories by the West Germans (1874) and fallen champion Argentina

made the other for Klaus Fis-cher.

Bernd Foerster impressed at left back, and Alesanco looked good for Spain in defence, but as a team, Spain was well below par.

Juanito produces his best performances only now and then, and he didn't this time. And why Quini gets a game in the national team is puzzling. He has no pace, and he rarely

West Germany, who fought out a goalless draw with Eng-land on Tuesday, had to wait for the result of the final group B match between Spain and England yesterday (Tuesday).

Thousands of red and yellow Spanish flags greeted the host team as it played its first World Cup game in the Spanish

The Spanish fans jeered the West German team when it appeared on the pitch before this vital group B match in Real Madrid's Bernabeu Stadium.

Madrid's Bernabeu Stadium.
But after its elimination by
the Germans, the Spanish
team and manager Jose Santamaria were subjected to some
harsh criticism in the national

The independent newspaper El País commented: "From today starts a long night in which some long knives will be sharpened in the search for victims to satisfy the thirst for justice.

"At the moment, Santama-ria, top candidate for the guil-lotine, does not look likely to renew his contract. His per-formance has been so dis-graceful, so negative."

And as if all this was not enough, the Spanish team bus ran out of petrol and the players had to hitch lifts to get

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DUNCAN FRASER

POLAND 3 (Boniek 3rd, 26th, 9th) BEGIUM 0 in Barcelona. Referee: Luis Siles (Costa Rica)

This will go down in world soccer annals as the Zbigniew Bonlek show but let's not forget the outstanding contribution by veteran striker Grzegorz Lato, making his 100th full international appearance.

Lato was hoping that Poland could clinch a semi-final spot. Barring injury and a dramatic



Grzegorz Lato

loss of form the balding striker would then equal Kazimierz Deyna's record of 102 games for the Eastern bloc nation. His 101st appearance was against the USSR.

Pity poor Belgium keeper Theo Custers. He hadn't touched the ball before it flashed past him and into his net after only three minutes. That came courteousy of a Boniek thunderbolt and it wasn't only the

small band of Polish fans in a half filled Nou Camp stadium wno were cheering. A few Ital-ians in the crowd also cele-brated. Boniek recently was bought by First Division champion Juventus for over \$1

champion Juventus for over \$1 million.

Lato did the spade work down the right for the first goal, getting to the byline and cutting back the ball into Bonick's path.

It was a stunning opening by the Poles against a nation lipped as the dark horse of this finals series.

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Belgium seemed to be travelling smoothly on a course mapped out by Holland over a decade ago. Then Dutch Lubs Ajax and Feyenoord, hit the European club scene in a big way and national team glory followed, Holland making the final of the past two World Cups.

Anderlecht and Standard Liege recently have made names for themselves in Europe and it seemed that Belgium would fill the shoes vacated by an ageing Dutch

gium would fill the shoes va-cated by an ageing Dutch outfit which failed to qualify for these finals.

Their defensive organisa-tion, patient and creative mid-field and sharp forwards sug-gested the Belgians would play a big part int he finals, until Poland tore them to shreds.

As soon see a Belgian attack

into the attacking third of the field in strength.

All three goals were great. The second came from a sweet change of play from right to left, a precise header back into the middle of the area and a well-timed run and header over helpless Custers from magician Boniek.

It was Janusz Kupcewicz who sent over an inch perfect drive from the right to the far side of the Belgian area where Andrzej Buncol's header set up the incoming Boniek for the coup de grâce.

coup de grace.

Then came the classic third goal: classic in the sense it involved the best off-the-ball run seen so far in this finals cories.

It started inside the Polish midfield third on the right. Boniek hit a 40 metre crossfield ball and took off toward the Belgian area. The ball was played inside to Lato who swivelled and knocked it forward five metres. The Belgians were on the way out, trying to spring their famed offside ploy but the timing of Boniek's run was their downfall. Suddenly the magician appeared unmarked inside the Belgian area with Custers facing him. It was to be the Belgian custodian! It was to be the Belgian custodian! sats stand. He threw out an arm in vain as Band and stroked the ball calmly into the gapping goal.



match with a 3-0 loss to Poland

Does Guy Thys have rocks in his head?

USSR 1 (Oganesyan 48th) BELGIUM 0 in Barcelona, Referee: Michel Vautrot (France)

Sulakvelidze 6, Alexander Chivadze 6, Sergei Battache 6, Anstoly Demyanenko 7, Ramar Shengalia 7, Valdimir Bessenov 6, Andrei Bal 5, Khoran Oganasyan 7, Yuri Gavrilov 6, Oleg Blokhin 7. Subshtutas V.

Belgium left the World tup stage with its attack-ng flair all too often stif-ed by the negative atti-

tude of its Russian opponent.

caution was the keynote of the dismal Soviet victory achieved thanks to a well-timed volley by Khoren Ogane-syan three minutes into the second half.

This was a delight for the yougur of midfield nord and

second half.

This was a delight for the voyeur of midfield prod and thrust. Little of consequence took place in either attacking third of the Nou Camp pitch.

The message is ominous -now there's too much at stake, now there's too much at stake, leave little to chance and try to steal what probably will be the winning goal. That's ominous for those of us who watched, spellbound, the quality of at-tacking play and finishing which permeated the first round.

The Soviets won't win a World Cup with such a negative attidue.

Given the lack of motivation for the Belgians going into this

match with a 3-0 loss to Poland a few days earlier it was they who walked off Nou Camp for the last time this finals series with a semblance of respect. Referee Michael Vaurrot's whistle to signal half time barely was audible amid the jeers of a restless crowd. Vaurrot gave the disgruntle spectators something to cheer about after the interval when he neatly dummied the ball, allowing it to pass cleanly through his legs to its intended destination.

There was little else to entuse about.

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ning down the left by poor disposal in the post of the

"Il of us who watched cen_e forward Erwin Van-denbergh score the vinner against Argentina in the World Cup opener thought that the Belgians were well off up front. Four games later they pack their bags and head for home with just three goals to their name.

their name.

De Schrijver was the third left back tried out by Thys. Clearly he was the best. Had Thys made the right selection from the start, had brilliant right back Eric Gerets not been injured, had first choice goalkeeper Jean Marie Pfaff been fit, had Ceulemans not played so deep against the Poles.

Maybe the Belgians will take over Holland's role as a European giant. Clearly it has so far failed to do so.

The Soviets are disciplined and organised. They also can be unimaginative and ultracautious.

Soviet manager Konstantin Beskov refused to accept criti-cism of his side's perform-

"We are not the first team to play cautiously in this World Cup. Look at England and West Germany," he said.

"I am pleased with the re-sult. We scored a goal and we won. Now we have to beat Po-land."

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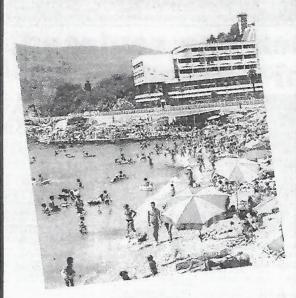
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Two goal Hamilton puts out Austria

NORTHERN IRELAND 2 (Hamilton 28th, 75th) AUSTRIA 2 (Pezzey 51st, aier 68th) in Madrid. Referee: Adolf Prokop (West Germany)*

NORTHERN IRELAND: Jim Platt, Ji. Nicholl, Chris Nicholl, John McClelland, Sa. Nelson, David McCreery, Martin O'Nelli, Sa. McLiroy, Billy Hamilton, Gerry Armstr Norman Whiteside.

Substitutes: George Dunlop, John O'Neill, ommy Cassidy, Jim Cleary, Noel Brotherston. AUSTRIA: Friedl Koncilla, Barol Krauss, trumo Pazzey, Erich Doernayer, Johann Prag-sabauer, Anton Pichler, Herbert Prohasika, Ernst baseuer, Moster Schachner, Max Hagmayer, sometischer, Walter Schachner, Max Hagmayer, Substitutas: Klaus Lindenberger, Johan Pik-ich, Gardid Masslender, Reinhold Hintermaier, turt Welzi.

Hats off to the Irish! Without injured first choice keeper Pat Jennings and suspended defender Mal Donaghy they showed great courage and character inside the cauldron of Calderon Sta-dium to end Austria's World Cup with a 2-2 draw.

Jim Platt took over from Jennings and former Arsenal left back Sammy Nelson filled in for Donaghy.
Austria made five changes, leaving out star striker Hans Krankl and four others from the side which was beaten 1-0 by France.

Both sides suffered in the 35 degree celsius heat.

Billy Hamilton gave Northern Ireland the lead after 27 minutes. Gerry Arm-strong powered past two defenders on the right wing and crossed perfectly for Ham-ilton to nod in at the far post.

The Irish then successfully concentrated on defence for the remainder of the half, but they were caught twice early after the interval.

Austrian defender Bruno Pezzey's 50th minute equaliser smacked more of luck

than skill as the ball cannoned off his boot from a long shot by Ernst Baumeister.
Seconds earlier, the luck had been with the Irish when Walter Shachmer, taking advantage of a mistake by John McCleiland, flicked the ball past Platt only to see it hit the far post and roll back along the line to eventual safety.

After 67 minutes, Austria forged ahead through Reinhold Hintermaier who had come on at half-time for Johann Pregesbauer.

esbauer.

But the Irish hit back seven minutes later when Hamilton headed home his second goal.

The Irish have survived as long as they have by adopting an uncomplicated style and applying it with verve and enthusiasm.

slasm.

Everyone admires their fighting spirit but bravery alone isn't behind their surprising success.

They are very well organised at the back, midfielder Sammy McLiroy from English First Division club Stoke City is a genuine playmaker and striker Gerry Armstrong is aggressive and direct.

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Antonio Cabrini, scorer of Italy's second goal against Argentina

Italy triumphs in the roughhouse stakes

ITALY 2 (Tardelli 56th., Cabrini 68th) AR-GENTINA 1 (Passarella 84th) in Barcelona. Referee: Nicolae Rainea (Rumania). a (Humania).

ed in the booking list before half time: Rossi, Kempes, Maradona, Ardiles and Gentile

The sheer surprise of the strong and competitive Tradelli's opening goal for Italy not only stumed the World Cup holder, but saturated an American colleague who was hit on the head by a full carton of coke.

ARGENTINA. — U. Fillol, J. Ol-uin, L. Galvan, D. Passarolla, A. erontini, O. Ardiles, A. Galego, D. laradona, D. Bertoni, R. Diaz, M. ampes. Subs.: H. Baley, J. Valde-o, J. Barbas, J. Valencia, G.

no, J. Barbas, J. Vanus.
Calderon.
17ALV. – D. Zoff, C. Gentile, F.
Collovati, G. Sciras, A. Cabrini, M.
Tardelli, G. Oriali, G. Antopnoni, F.
Grazinan, P. Rossi, B. Conti. Subs.:
I. Bordon, G. Bergomi, G. Marini, F.
Causio, A. Altobelli.

i. Bordon, G. Borgom, G. Merini, F. Causio, A. Attobelli.

If World Cup Football be the food of love, play on, but not, if you please, involving matches between Argentina and Italy at the Sarria Stadium, Barcelona, from where we neutrals emerged sickened by a spectacle which involved hacking and acting and acting and hacking.

The Italians praised Gentile for the way he kept Maradona subdued throughout the match and surprised the South Americans with two good goals in the second half

But Gentile, shadowing the world's most expensive footballer, was allowed at least six unpleasant fouls by Rumanian referee Rainea before he was eventually booked.

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eventually booked. Maradona's pain and outrage as he frequently bit the dust was reflected through the whole team in the first half. Argentina dominated, using the flanks and Kempes' long the flanks and Kempes' long the flanks and kempes' long the flanks and kempes' by the force its way through and the number of times it did a bit of spiteful work themselves was reflect-

tean colleague was was not on the head by a full carton of college when Cabrini made it two teams after 37 minutes following a shrewd and cool run byConti into the box (Rossi should have scored in the build-up and would have done but for Fill-ol's daring block) the Italian supporters could hardly believe their eyes.

Passerella got one back for the Argentines with an intelligent free kick as the Italians played for time, but what with Gallego being sent off, the afternoon for them ended with poison on their pettles. In the first half alone there were 31 fouls.

At times, Rainea boxed as consisted as a drunk trapped in some consisted as a drunk trapped in this book.

The fouls ranged from petty to spitful to cynical and

a revolving good as he collection of a gill tering array of names in his book. The fouls ranged from petty to spiteful to cynical and Rainea must shoulder some of the blame for not asserting his authority in what was always going to be a torrid encounter. Italy soaked up some persistent pressure from the feelending, champion during the person of the pulle which earned them to the four years ago. And they were weefully slow in covering up.

Their efforts slackened after the interval and the Italians took full advantage.

Tardelli's goal was classically simple. He and Antognonia and Conti carved the Argentine defence apart, finishing with Tardelli racing in from the left to sweep the ball wide of Fillol.

It was a just reward for Caprini that he got Italy's second goal — he was one of the few men on the pitch trying to play football.

Rossi rattled a shot off Fillol's leg, Conti collected the rebound, cutting a pass back for Cabrini to thrash the ball high into the net.

Argentin's consolation came when Passarella sent a

Argentina's consolation came when Passarella sent a stinging free kick in from 22 metres

A minute later Argentina's Gallego was trudging disconsolately from the field for upending Tardelli.

But Italy's performance in the first round—scoring two goals and advancing in three draws—had been defected by the second trace of the second tr

Bearzot said Argentina had improved its 1978 champion side, with the addition of Maradona and striker Ramon Diaz. Italy, which defeated Ar-centina 1-0 four years ago and



eventually finished fourth, was weaker because of the loss of



BEARZOT NEARS HIS GOAL

An Italian side which puts the accent on attack is a rare sight but since taking over five years ago, Enzo Bearzot (pictu-red), 55, has worked tirelessly for such a

redl, 55, has well and a second a second

amoking manager, may just have broken through.

"Of course I would love to see us attack, and entertain," he said. "The players receive no specific orders from me to defend if we go in front. It just comes naturally to an Italian." Bearzot, 55, has had a chequered career as both player and manager. He played wing-half for Internazionale and Torino in the 1950s and made his international debut against Hungary in 1955.

Puskas accred, and Bearzot's brief inter-national career was over.

After retiring in 1963, he qualified as a coach but failed to land a job with a top club.

Then in 1975 he was appointed assistant to Fluvio Bernardini after the flasco of Italy's 1974 World Cup bid and took over two years letter.

1974 World Cup bid and took over two years later.

Bearzot, one of the most liked and respected managers in the game, has found such popularity hard to come by in Italy.

The Italian Press have never forgiven his one rare blunder during the 1978 finale.

With Italy leading the Netherlands 1-0, a result which would have put them in the final, Bearzot took off Juventus winger Franco Causio in order to bolster his defence. Arie Haen and Ernie Brandst promptly emashed two long-range cannon balls past Dino Zoff and Italy went out.

But overall, Bearzot has brought a breath of fresh air to Italian football, bringing in the likes of gesteno Schires and Antonio Cabrini, two of the most attack-minded defenders in the world.



Argentine captain Daniel Passarella (right) slams home his coun-

Roos v Kiwis in tournament?

Within hours of New Zealand's World Cup elimina-tion, their federation chairman, Charlie Dempsey, was out-lining the Kiwis' intended build up for the 1986 com-

the 1986 competition.

The commencement of annual home and away fixtures with Australia is high on his list of priorities. This often mooted idea has been rejected by Clarence Street in the past, mainly for financial reasons.

Yearly visits by New Zealand, traditionally international soccer nonentities,

By PAUL MOON

would have been an economic liability to the Australian Soccer Federation. The New Zealanders recently acquired respectability may initiate a change of attitude though, particularly as the Socceroos have their own World Cup preparations to consider.

weeks, are added, soccer supporter earlier was quoted as teiling a Spa-sper that two busloads of fans left Poland for Spain, arrived. The rest sought seviers on the way.

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A tournament involving
Australia, China, Kuwait and
New Zealand, planned for
Auckland in February of next
year to commemorate the
opening of a new stand at

Mount Smart Stadium has been shelved. Unfortunately it now appears unlikely that the stand will be completed before July, however the concept of such a tournament could still be pursued in the future. The proposed tour of Tottenham Hotspur will therefore be the highlight of the 1983 season, should it eventuate. Sours manager Keith Bur-Sours manager Keith Bur-World Cup preparations to consider.

Dempsey stated that his op-posite number in Sydney, Sir Arthur George, was showing "great interest" in the propos-al.

son, should it eventuate.

Spurs manager Keith Burkinshaw contacted Dempsey in Spain and stated that his club were keen to travel. Almost inevitably, their itinerary will have to include fixtures in Australia to be financially viable.

The NZFA President was obviously busy during his trip to Spain, also laying the groundwork for a tour of the Middle East and Britain in late 1883 or 1984.

Possible opponents on the <u>Poles seek asylum</u>

Possible opponents on the British leg of the tour include Nottingham Forest, Glasgow Rangers, FC Bournemouth, League of Ireland, Glasgow Celtic, Watford and England

Obviously New Zealand are determined to present a formi-dable hurdle for Australia on the road to Colombia



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FRANCE 1 (Genghini 39th) AUSTRIA 0 in Madrid, Referee Karoly Palotai (Hungary).

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Jonnique Rocmefaeu.

Rene Girard. Jean-Francois Larios, Dominique Rocemetaus.

Who needs Michel Platini when you've got Jean Tigana? The Bordeaux star took his place in the team because of Platini's injury, and was the mastermind of this success.

The heat — Just over 30 degrees called your seemed to side the seemed to side as the French launched attack after attack but failed to make the most of their chances.

Bernard Genghini, the man who will replace Michel Platini at St. Etienne next season when Platini moves to Juventus of Italy, took a leaf from the Platini free-kick manual when he floated one past Austrian goalkeeper Friedl Koncilia six minutes before half-time for the game's only goal.



Bernard Genghini - scored the winner.

Tigana, Genghini and tiny Alain Giresse gave the mid-field an urgency it has lacked with Platini present. The French front men were fed endless passes and must be wondering how they allowed the final scoreline to suggest an evenly contested match. France lost central striker

Bernard Lacombe in the 14th minute after he appeared to aggravate an injury which had nade him a doubtful starter for the game.

Dominique Rocheteau came on in his place, gave the attack more pace and fluency, and turned in one of his best per-formances in a French shirt.

But he failed to dribble past Koncilia after Austrian de-fender Erich Obermyer made a mistake in the 61st minute and left him clear. Winger Gerard Solder had also found himself clear in front of goal in the 32nd minute but completely missed his kick.



From JIM COOK our European correspondent

England's team boss Ron Greenwood, due to retire after the World Cup, will be retained by the Footbell Association in an advisory capacity after his succesor is named. But Greenwood, who will get a pension for his services, won't have any say in future England teams.

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Man tipped to become England's new manager, Bobby
Robson of Ipswich Town, is reported to have rejected the
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Peter Wernicke, an unemployed German dressed in a kilt and speaking with a put-on Scottish accent, arrived on the Costa del Sol to support Jock Stein's side.

Stein's side.

Belgian keeper Jean-Marie
Pfaff nearly downed in the
swimming pool of his team's
hotel. "Death stared me in the
face" he said.

Tameron keeper Thomas N'Kono used to travel to stadiums for international matches by taxi as he felt riding in the team coach was beneath his dignity.

Bob Valentine, the Scottish referee from Dundee who officiated at the West Germany. Austria match, is the fitted whistien at the series of rests of the stadium of the series of the serie

Peru.

Three of Peru's World Cup
players are owned by a T.V.
station in Lima. The trio were
all out of the country and were
bought back by the T.V. company as Peru clubs couldn't
afford the transfer fees. All
three will go up for sale again
shortly.

Brazil's 27 year old full back maestro Junior gets plenty of perks outside soccer and one of them is modelling men's rousers which netts him \$20,000 a year.

Bruno Pezzy, one of Austria's outstanding players who plays in West Germany for Eintracht Franfurt, has several lucrative offers to join Spanish clubs now his contract with the Bundesliga side has ended. But odds are he will remain with Franfurt.

Honduras had to pay Spanish club Vallandolid around \$30,000 plus insurance cover to release Gilberto for the World Cup.

The Childean national team is reported to be taking legal action against a publishing company which produced an album of World Cup portraints "without the player's permission".

"without the player's permission"

T.V. and video recorder sales have jumped to record proportions in Brazil, in some of the playing venues in Spain restaurant trade and cinema attendances have slumped badly while West Germany is expected to lose about 50 million hours of industrial working time through absenteeism during the competition.

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Kuwait players were given special dispensation from fasting during the month of the World Cup during the celebration of Ramadan.

Seven of the Honduras side represented their country at the international youth fournament held in Tunisa in 1977.

Czechoslavakia used all its three keepers in it's first two matches against Kuwait and England.

The father of Czech striker Peter Janecka cycled all the way from his home town of Brno to watch his son play in Spain.

Brno to watch his son play in Spain.

Lakhdar Belloumi, the Algerian striker whose claim to fame is his goal beat West Germany, was mistakenly reported deal dast year after another player collapsed and ded in a match in Algeria.

Paul Connell, a 27-year-old British army corporal who was wounded in the Falklands, has been given star treatment watching the England matches in Spain with his wife after a Bristol couple donated an all-expenses trip for two to his regiment.



Osvaldo Ardiles

Ardiles to St Germain, Dirceu too?

Argentine star Osvaldo Ardiles says he will join French First Divi-sion Club Paris St. Germain next sea-

Ardiles, who has been with London side Tottenham for the past four years, refused to discuss the size of the transfer fee.

Speaking at the Argentine training camp outside Barcelona, Ardiles said: "I'm very sad to be leaving Totenham after four happy and successful years. and successful years are not piton after the war over the Malvinas (Falklands)." St. Germain also may sign Brazilian ace Dicue.

His Barcelona agent said that Direcu had been offered \$400,000 for two years with the Paris club.

Direcu's contract with the Panish club Atletico Madrid has expired and under Spanish rules he, as a foreigner, can move on without a transfer fee being involved.

Direcu, now 29, has played one match for Brazil so far in the 1982 World Cup finals, against the Soviet Union.



Cold shoulder for Kuwait

Kuwait's World Cup team arrived home from Spain to a cool reception, with one newspaper demanding an inquiry into the affairs of the country's faptall association. The usual boisterous welcome of flowers, music and a motor cavalcade into the city for successful teams was missing when the players arrived, to be met only be members of their families.

Kuwait drew with Czechoslovakia but lost to France and England.

The Al-Rai Al-Aam news-paper, which called for the in-quiry, said the Kuwait F.A. did not achieve the desired re-sults.

The controversial match with France resulted in the Kuwaiti Football Association being fined \$11,400 and its

president Sheikh Fahd al-Ahmad al-Sabah being censured for "unsporting be-haviour."

The match was halted for several minutes when the Ku-waitis protested against a French goal which the referee then disallowed.

Sheikh Fahd did not return with the team, but was ex-pected to arrive later.



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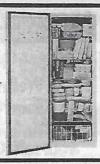
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Howe v Greenwood with Howe ahead on points

The influence of coach Don Howe is very noticeable in the performances of England in the World Cup in Spain.

England is playing a direct, uncluttered style working to the strenghts of the English game — kicking and heading skills.

Howe, chief coach with Arveil, tale touch with Ar-eenal under manager Terry veil, has developed there a similar functional, effective ttyle of play which wins soints, though of recent times not too many admirers.

Howe was appointed chief coach to the England team

It was probably the best ap-pointment England could have

Manager Ron Greenwood as great knowledge and is a hanger knowledge and is a great knowledge and is a great theorist on the game, but howe's practical methods are a perfect compliment to the complexities which sometimes seems to down some of Greenwood's sides.

It is no coincidence that after the Howe appointment England had its longer ever winning streaks of eight victories in a row.



Mike Johnson

He had an unsuccessful stint as a club manager at West Bromwhich Albion and in recent years has been asked to try his hand at management, but has refused.

However, he is a powerful influence at Arsenal where manager Neil gives him a free hand with training and tactics,

defence (Howe is a former England full back) and direct methods.

It is a predictable game relying much on method and organisation, totally the opposite to the Greenwood style developed at West Ham which was based on flair and improvisation.

Playing off Mariner is the very fast Trevor Francis, who is playing so well he may keep England's Footballer of the Year, Kevin Keegan, out of the team when he finally is fully fit.

At the back are attacking full backs and a tall uncom-promising double centre half

pairing.

Within that set-up you find many of the "traditional"

many of the "traditional" roles which are almost unique to ex British soccer.
They are: The "target man" central attacker with his poaching partner "playing off" him

him.

The "ball winning" mid-fielder, and the "link man" midfielder.

The wide midfielders and overlapping full backs who exploit the touchlines and send

plott the fouchlines and send over streams of cross balls into the goalmouths. Then, finally the "double centre half" pairing who mark and cover each other, unlike the sweeper-stopper pair who are used throughout the rest of the worls.

are used throughout the rest of the works.

The Europeans for many years have stated that this allocation of rigid roles and this account of rigid roles and this soccer was old ashined and could not win trophies at the highest level.

Yet top English club sides have been proving the statement wrong year after year.

Whether England can do likewise is another matter.

It would be fascinating to see it in opposition to Brazil—the complete antithises to itself, all fair, in provisation and inspiration the embodiment of total football" a phrase coined to indicate freedom and skill all over the field. The one player in the England party who can match skills with the Brazilians is Glen Hoddle, but it would be indicative of the Don Howe philosophy to prefer when fit the bristling aggression Robson and the simple, uncomplicated early passing of wilkins in the centre midfield. Hoddle also has played wide in midfield for Tottenham, but again the more direct, touch-line hugging methods of Coppell and Rix are preferred. Just as the great striker Jimmy Greaves was sacrificed for the hard running Liverpool striker Roger Hunt in the successful 1966 World Cup campaign under method man Sir Alf Ramsey, we currently

campaign under method man Sir Alf Ramsey, we currently see Hoddle passed over for the

Sir All Ramsey, we currently see Hoddle passed over for the more practical and predictable talents of others. Knowing Greenwood I assure he would love to get the silky talents of Trevor Brooking and Hoddle into an England team. Knowing Howe I am sure he would love to win the World Cup— and to do it he would prefer his tied and tested methods perfected over more than a decade at Arsenal.

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WEST GERMANY 0 ENG-Madrid, Referee: Arnaldo Coelho (Brazil) 8.

WEST GERMANY: Schumacher 7 — Stielike 8 — Kaltz 8, K.H. Foerster 9, Briegel 6, B. Foerster 7 — H. Mueller 7 (Fischer 72nd), Dremmler 6, Breitner 8 — Reinders 6 (Littbarski 61st), Rummenigge 5.

ENGLAND: Schilton 7 — Mil Butcher 8, Thompson 6, Sanso — Coppell 6, Wilkins 7, Robse Rix 6 — Francis 5 (Wood: 78th), Mariner 5.

Come back, Cameroon! Come back Algeria!

Fear, and nothing else, ruled this abysmal game.
Sure, you can talk about shrewd tactics, strength in defence, clinical build-ups and all that.

the fact is that this offered zilch enter-

Both teams played with only two strikers, and all of them were thrashed, mainly be-cause they weren't given quick support.

England's wide midfielders
—Coppell and Rix, who should
have made it a little easier for
Francis and Mariner — never
really got forward.

And West Germany played with a five-man defence, with Dremmler sweeping in froat of it! Had it not been for Kaltz pushing up from right back, Breitner would have been left as the only player prepared to do something positive for the Germans.

do something positive for the Germans.

England had Robson and Wilkins and, while neither showed the individual ability of Breitner, at least their combined effort always gave their team the potential to get up there. In fact, Robson was unledy not to score with a header after Mariner had flicked the ball on for him.

But, overall, England was more intent on containing the Germans, and the Germans, and the Germans, even when they took the initiative in the second half, did not show the change of pace and the quick explosive touch to finish off their slow build ups via square and backward passes.

ups via square and backward passes.

Anyway, comparing both these teams with Poland on early second-round form, is like comparing Rip van Winkle with Sebastian Coe.

Germany's obsessive reliance on Rummenigge proved costly this time. Rummenigge wasn't fully fit—in fact it was not until just before the kickoff that coach Derwall decided ouse him—and his general lack of enterprise made it easier for Butcher to mark him out of the game.

Rummenigge did however, have the chance to win this game, just as Robson had for England, with a blistering 25-metre drive that crashed against the crossbar just before the end.

Apart from those two chances, and a near-post shot by Breitner, there simply wasn't any other goal-mouth action.



England midfielder Bryan Robson is airborne after a fierce sliding tackle from West Germany's Peter Briegel.

Looking for a few bright spots, I must compliment Germany's excellent centre back Karl-Heinz Foerster whom for me, was the man of the match. He never was beaten, and he did all the hard work in defence.

Kaltz pushed up as much as he possibly could, Stielike was efficient as sweeper, even to the extent of chopping down opponents when it looked like they may get through (Robson for example), and Breitner of course, was a powerhouse.

for example), and Breitner of course, was a powerhouse.
Of the English, my favorite, was captain and right back Mick Mills who won every duel, Butcher who beat Rummeninge and Kenny Sansom who, like Mills, was not beaten on the left.
It amazed me that Pierre Littbarski was on the bench. He had played so well in earl-

He had played so well in earl-ier matches, yet this time his

place was taken by Reinders. Reinders worked hard and tried a few times to get past his man, but I think Littbarski would have done better.

England's awe of Germany
— awe which worked to Eng-land's detriment — was re-flected in what Ron Green-wood said before the game:

wood said before the garne:

"Germany has stood the test
of time for many years. The
pattern is always very similar.
The system is such that they
just fit people into it like a ligsaw. It's never wavered and
the' organisation has always
been of the highest quality —
something I think the rest of
the world respects, even Brazil."

England started this match having won nine consecutive internationals, but it was obvious from the start that Briegel and Karl-Heinz Foers-

ter would stifle Francis and Mariner, thus reducing Eng-land's chances of extending that record.

Wilkins had the first shot of the match, from long range, but it was saved by Schuma-cher, who looks an excellent goalkeeper.

Then came that header by Robson, tapped over the bar one-handed by Schumacher in the 24th minute, and a good run by Breitner past Sansom, followed by a square ball which Rummenigge failed to reach by the width of his boot leather. Then came that header by

We saw Francis for the first time in the 43rd minute. He robbed Kaltz of the ball, turned and looked like breaking away, but Stielike tripped him and that was that.

But if Francis was hard done by, so was Breitner who was being chopped continuously in midfield.

was being chopped continuously in midfield.
So we entered the second half, with the temperature still 90 degrees F at about 10 pm, and we saw Mills outplaying Reinders to turn the ball back to Shilton after Reinders had wriggled clear to try to finish off a long, intricate build-up. Rudmmenigge wanted to become more involved now, so he dropped deep, but he too, played all his passes square, it wasn't until after Littbarski had come on, that Rumminge was freed inside the box by a Littbarski pass, only to be closed down quickly by Butcher.

er.

Fischer also came on, replacing Hansi Mueller, and giving Germany two recognised strikers to look for. England also made a change, repland also made a change, repland the strikers with Tony Woodcock Showledge of German soccer—he has been playing for Cologne—would be useful but, nô, he didn't do anything either:

Rummeniege's shot onto the

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Rummenigge's shot onto the crossbar was the one highlight of this match. It came in the 86th. minute after he had swerved away from Rix at the edge of the box.

oped at West Ham which was based on flair and improvisation.

Arsenal has achieved good results using the Howe method, but has not won many friends in the process—it has been constantly labelled as a dull, toring team.

Even the normally restrained manager of Liverpoot, and the standard was driving people and the standard was driving people and the standard was driving people and the standard was free many supports who appreciated its open, creative standard was driving people and the standard was free with the standard was free with a standard was few many supports who appreciated its open, creative standard was free with a standard was free with the standard with a ball winner in Bryan Robson and two wide midfield-cumwingers in Rix and Coppell, both of whom are fine crossers of the ball.

The target for these crosses is the head of the tall central striker, Paul Mariner, who would possibly be the best strikers playing in the World Cup.



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Argentines snub English

England's World Cup match against West Germany was shown live on Argentine state-owned television. But Radio Ravadavia, the country's leading sports station, did not mention England once during the broadcast. "The other team" and "the red-shirted team" were now its commentators.

described England during the second

Argentine viewers, watching England playing for the first time since the finals began in Spain, were in a grim mood after Italy had besten Argentine 2-1 in

CZECHS

Czechoslovakia's national squad will have to be entirely rebuilt following its failure in the World Cup tournament in Spain, an official sports body

A report by the Central Committee of the Czechoslovak Physical Training Union, quoted by the Communist party newspaper Rude Pravo, strongly criticised the performance of

the team, eliminated from Group Four after failing to win any of its matches against Kunit, England and France.

"The coaches and the whole team must discover the decisive causes of the failure and should apparently reach the conclusion that the situation requires ', a fundamental reconstruction of the team and of the concept of play." The report said.

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The Czech squad returned home quietly the day after its final match, a 1-1 draw with France.

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Neil Banfield trendsetter?

By PAUL MOON

English footbell's current financial strife may herald a sw era for Australian soccer. As well as the veteran sport who has traditionally come to these shores in der to extend his career twilight; young and blosso-ing talent now is available to PSL clubs.

ming talent now is available to PSL clubs.

Adelaide City Juventus' Neil Banfield (pictured) therefore might be the first of a new breed.

Bandield always appeared destined to become a champion sportsman, excelling in soccer, cricket, athletics and swimming while attending Morpeth School in East London.

It was in soccer though that he made a name for himself. After representing East London, Inner London County and Greater London under 15 selections, Banfield graduated to the England Schoolboys side of 1977.

Following seven appearances for his country at this level, the promising defender signed with Crystal Palace as an apprentice. A series of impressive performances with Palace reserves then drew the attention of England youth team coach John Cartwright and Banfield was drafted into the squad for a tournament in Austria. He returned home with a bronze medal.

This was May, 1979, and for the next two and a half years, the

This was May, 1879, and for the next two and a half years, the Londoner was a fixture in the side Highlights included winning the 1980 UEFA Youth Tournament staged in East Germany and participation in last season's Coca Cola Championship in Australia.

Here Banfield lined up against Cameroon, Argentina, Austra-a, Egypt and Rumania. The latter game provided his 18th youth

lia, Egypt and Rumania. The latter game provided his 18th youth cap.

Ten months earlier he had made his first team debut for struggling Palace at home to Coventry city. Further appearances followed against Aston Villa and West Bromwich Albion.

All three games were lost by a woefully inadequate combination that was sliding towards relegation from the First Division. No wonder then that Banfield made little impact.

The South London club, which had 26 professional players on its books, was confronted by a severe liquidity problem earlier this year and forced to cut its staff to the bone.

Banfield therefore was handed a free transfer and Juventus stepped in with commendable initiatives.

The solid, dominent defender already has made his prsence felt in the PSL with a number of classy displays.

Twenty years of age last January 20, Banfield appears assured of a fine future in the PSL.

Third time lucky for Drinoczky?

Frankston City is languishing near the foot of Victoria's State League but it may have unearthed one of the most exciting new-

unearthed one of the comers of the season. His name is Paul Drinoczky. He's 22, a loral product, Ye's 22, a loral product, young, tall, Hungarian and married He's also very ambitious despite trying and falling twice last year to join rival State League clubs.

Drinoczky had played in the Metropolitian Leagues with Hungarian sponsored Melbourne since 1975. He'd grown weary of being told that just one more year in Metro ranks wouldn't hurt his career.

He'd played in the Victorian youth team that won the national titles as the host state in 1979. He was Victoria's stopper. Behind him was Steve Blair, at sweeper. While Blair's career blossomed into senior club and Socceroo honor Drinoczky remained will his father-in-law, Charlie Gaiser, believed that the time.

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with Melburne.
His father-in-law, Charlie
Kaiser, believed that the time
had come last year for Drinoczky to try to establish himself in State League. It was
early in 1981 and pre-season
training just had started.
The young stopper trained
with Juventus for two weeks.
"Most of the first team
players weren't even sighted.
They turned up about a week
before the season started. The
situation didn't look too healthy," he said.

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Drinoczky went to Croydon where he trained for three or four weeks running, Croydon officials told him to find out

how much Melbourne wanted for him. Drinoczky claims he was told by Melbourne that there was \$3000 on his head.

"I went back to Croydon and asked what was going on. I wanted to sign with them. I was absolutely staggered when I was to that Melbourne was asking for \$7,000 for me. I couldn't believe it at first. I phoned up Melbourne officials who denied that they had asked for that much. The following week I returned to Croydon and by then Melbourne had confirmed that there was \$4000 on my head."

Drinoczky went to the VSF appeals Board over what he saw as an exhorbitant transfer I had the saw as an exhorbitant transfer lee. His price was dropped

Appeals Board over what he saw as an exhorbitant transfer fee. His price was dropped down to \$2500.

"I went back to Croydon and they told me that they wanted to sign me. I told them the terms I wanted in my contract and they said okay. I returned on a Thursday to find that the contract put before me didn't have any of the terms I saked for. I said that I better take the contract home and think about it before signing. Croydon said no. They told me that I had to sign then and there or forget about it. I walked out."

Drinoczky was a failure in his own eyes. He still was fuming over having to take Melbourne to the Appeals Board over the transfer fee placed upon him. He trained

CRAIG MACKENZIE

with First Division Richmond for a fortnight until his father's influence woed him back to Melbourne.

"My father told me that there wasn't much difference between First and Second Division soccer and he was right. I didn't really have much choice to return to Melbourne. By that stage however it was clear to the people there that I wanted to leave and I think they knew that I'd try my luck in State League once more this year."

Drinoczky refused to sign a new contract with Melbourne for this season. He waited and watched the different coaching appointments at State League clubs. Melbourne's 1980 and 1981 coach Harry Chalkitis was hired by Frankston City. A few weeks later Croydon appointed Ken Kontra who had coached Drinoczky at Melbourne in 1978 and the first half of the 1979 season.

"I' was hoping that Kentoria was hoping that Kentoria would phone me but he didn't I rang up Harry Chalkitis and asked him what he thought of my chances of making a go of it in State League. He said come on down to training so I did."

Drinoczky was born in Melbourne in 1980 of Hungarian parents. His first soccer club was Kellor Austria whose ground was only 200 yards from the Drinoczky home.



Frankston City stopper Faul Drinoczky.

It was in 1972 that the tall, gangly youth joined Keilor Austria's under-12's. The late Peter Kolandt was junior sec-

Austria's under-12's. The late Peter Kolandt was junior secretary.

"Peter was the first man I met there. He introduced me to the other boys and I became very close to him. He was a very friendly person and it always has stuck in my mind that when I left and joined Melbourne's under-15's he told me that when Austria had returned to State League he was determined to buy me back."

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Drinoczky joined Melbourne's hieroczkie, Most of his father's friends were involved with the club.

"Austria didn't have proper junior coaches. Usually fathers coached to help out as best they could. The only real

junior coach 1 had was Bill Naday at Melbourne. I found that I was learning much more about the game under him.

"We won two success of the work of the condition of the conditi

Drinoczky.

Naday was in charge for about five games of the 1980

season.
"Bill Naday always had coached juniors and this was his first venture into senior coaching ranks. The committee didn't really give him a chance. They pushed him straight out and Harry Chalkitis took over."

Ironically it was Paul Dri-noczky's transfer to Frankston earlier this season which opened the door to senior team selection for brother Tibor at Melbourne.

"In the past Melbourne would buy someone to play next to me rather than slot Tibor into the side. He never has recognised as an established first team player but he's taken his chance and is doing well in the firsts now."

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Melbourne recently announced an ambitious plan to build a huge complex at Williamstown, south west of the rity of Melbourne. It could stark the start of a return to pominence of a club whose place in the annuals of Victorian soccer history is secure princety extrainly hopes that Melbourne can rekindle its former play. former glory

"Yes, Melbourne can become a force once again. it's a matter of getting the right sponsors at the right time.

Another Adams hits the heights

Sunderland-born Kevin Adams, 20, brother of Melbourne Croatia's and Victoria's Keith Adams, has cortainly created waves since signing with Tasmanian State League side, Glenorchy-Croatia.

Glenorchy-Croatia.

In his first reserve team game he was booked, and in his second, he scored a superb goal with a left foot drive from outside the box. At the time of writing, Adams has played two first team games which resulted in one win and one loss. He has played at left back and at left wing in these games and this shows his versatility.

Adams came to Melbourne Croatia at the instigation of his brother Keith but played mainly in the reserves. After talking with Croat Willy Coulson, Kevin decided to make the move south.

Kevin's greatest thrill in the game so far has, surprisingly, been off the field. He attended Sunderland's victory barquet after they had beaten Leeds United in the 1973 FA Cup final. His brother, Keith, was a member of Sunderland's youth team at the time.

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"I think that for any player to be in-

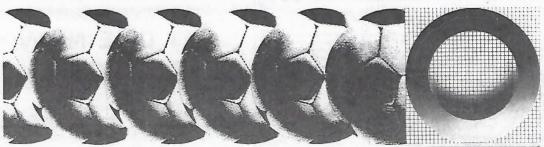
volved in even the slightest way with an FA Cup final is just fanstastic", says Kevin, recalling the event.

He believes that the Tasmanian stan-dard of soccer is three or four steps behind that of Victoria. He does have definite am-bitions, however.

"I'd like to keep playing in the first team for the rest of the season and, maybe, even play for Victoria or Tasma-nia. I'm only 20 and I hope I've got a big future ahead of me."

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PRESTON MAKEDONIA (Ward) NEWCASTLE KB (Bohan, Palinkas) at Sydney Athletic Field. Votes by Ted 1 (Ward) NEWCASTLE KB United 2 (Hamilton, Drink-water pen) at Connor Reser-ve. Votes by Laurie Schwab: 6. Lowe (Newc), 5. Curran (Newc), 4. Hamilton (Newc), 3. Mason (Newc), 2. Robertson (Newc), 1. Drinkwater (Newc).

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(H), 4. Hogg (BL), 3. Sunder-land (BL), 2. Olver (H), 1.
McMillen (H).

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(W), 1. Florming (W).
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(JUST), 3. Egan (Hellas), 2.
Holford (Hellas), 1. Bennett
(Hellas).

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Simmons:
6. Watson (SC), 5. Mitchell (SC), 4. Kosmina (SC),
3. Perry (BC), 2. Tokesi (BC),
1. Clarke (SC).

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55. Stone (St.G).
54. McGachey (WA).
53. Dunn (WA).
50. Bradley (APIA).
49. Illoaki (JUST).
41. J. Campbell (H*berg).
40. Redfern (SO).
39. Murray (SC).
38. Banfield (AC), Adam Wi.

37. Honeyman (WA), Kosmins (SC), Hermiston (BC).
36. Reskopoulos (SO), Bennett (BL), Northcote (AC), T. Byrne, G. Byrne (Can).

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34. Russell (AC).

32. Egan (SM).

30. Heys (WA), Henderson (Marc), Soper (APIA).

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(AC)

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17. Kosmina (SC).
15. Egan (SM).
13. Marton (St.G).
12. Honeyman (WA), Koussas (SO).
11. Giampaolo, Soper (APIA).
10. Cole, Campbell (H'berg).
9. Brown (Mak), J. Nyskohus
(AC), O'Connor (W).
8. Refern (SO), Jankovics
(Marc).
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INGOT

I wo battles in four days for Makedonia PHILIPS LEAGUE ST and Alexander

By LAURIE SCHWAB

Fierce rivals Heidelberg-Alexander and Preston-Makedonia meet twice within four days this week in matches that will affect both teams' top-four prospects and tip one of them out of the Philips Cup.

The league game is at the Olympic Village on Sunday, and the Cup match at Olympic Park at 7.30 pm next Wednesday.

Makedonia has lost utility player John Little for the rest of the season due to a ruptured medial ligament but his replacement Graham Fox was one of the better players in the loss to Newcastle and should retain the position.

Makedonia played poorly in midfield last Sunday, and barring dramatic improvement there, it seems likely to be overrun b Jim Campbell, Theo Selemidis, Mike Valentine and Chris Be kiaris in both games.

Footscray JUST slipped to within a point of the relegation zone losing 2-3 to Hellas, and faces the daunting task of having to unter mighty Sydney City Hakoah at Schintler Reserve.

Hakoah is firing in all positions, providing support in depth for its forwards, which has resulted in the remarkable scoring feats of John Kosmina.

JUST's only hope of success is to get away in quick counter-attacks. It also hopes to have defender Kyri Kyrlakouleas and midfielder Vlatko Belic back in time.

Hakoah faces up to Brisbane Lions in their Cup match at Rich-lands next Wednesday and should win that one as well. Hakoah coach Eddie Thomeon is in the happy position of having any number of top-class stand-by players to slot into his team should there be casualities at Footscray.

West Adelaide Hellas, back in the top four, aims to stay there by beating Brishane City at Spencer Park — a distinct possibility since Alan Vest's men, strengthened by the return of Alan Boath and Steve Sumner, are back in full flight. They should also win their Cup match against Canberra at Hindmarsh on the Wednesday.

Canberra, which had looked so promising earlier, has been slipping disastrously, and faces another possible defeat to South Melbourne Hellas at Bruce Stadium on Sunday.

Hellas still was waiting for coach Tommy Docherty to return from England as we went to press. His latest excuse for not turning up was that the plane he tried to catch had no seats left. A warrant was issued for Docherty's arrest in England during the the week. His wife Agnes was claiming \$8500 in maintenance arrears.

Hellas however, is unbeaten in three games under caretaker coach Mike Watson, and the attacking partnership of Charlie Egan and Branko Buljevic really has been firing well.

Newcastle and Wollongong, both on the crest of a wave, clash at International Sports Centre in Craig Johnston's farewell match. He is due to return to Liverpool in England.

Newcastle's young striker David Lowe showed outstanding talent against Makedonia last Sunday and his partnership wit Johnston, backed up by Jim Hamilion, Stuart Robertson and Craig Mason, could give Newcastle a victory that could lift it outside the relegation zone.

Wolfongong, on the other hand, is eyeing a possible position in the top four after its disastrous start to the season. Phil O'Connor, Arno Bertogna and Lee Adam have been the men behind the recovery.

Peter Sharne again will help to pep up the Marconi forward line against Adelaide City in Adelaide and against APIA in the Cup on Wednesday.

Striker Marcos Silva, who scored 24 State League goals with Sydney Croatia last season, is another new face at Marconi and he too will prove a threat to Adelaide City if he plays.

However, Adelaide City has more at stake than Marconi and should win at home. It certainly has no intention of finishing in the relegation zone.

APIA continues its sorry slide, and there's little chance it will stop against Sydney Olympic on Sunday and Marconi on Wednes-day.

Despite Olympic's loss last Sunday, coach Doug Collins still believes his team will finish in the four. "With 18 points still to be played for and our confidence still high, we can put pressure on the top sides," he said.

Brisbane Lions, also facing two games next week, is likely to lose the first of them, against St George Budapest, which isn't in the habit of losing two in a row.

League and Cup matches, with likely winners in capitals:

PHILIPS LEAGUE

IN NEWCASTLE
Newcastle KB United v Wollongon
stional Sports Centre, Saturday, 3pm. ng (draw) at Inter-

IN CANBERRA
Canberra v. SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS, Bruce
adium Sundey 3pm.

IN MELBOURNE
Footscray J.U.S.T. v. SYDNEY CITY HAKOAH,
chintler Reserve, Sunday, 3pm.
HEIDELBERG-ALEXANDER v. Preston Makedonia,

IN BRISBANE Brisbane City v. WEST ADELAIDE HELLAS, Spencer Park, 3pm.

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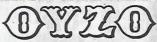
ST. GEORGE BUDAPEST V. Brisbane Lions, St. eorge Stadium, Sunday 3pm. IN ADLEAIDE ADELAIDE CITY JUVENTUS v. Marconi Datsun,

Olympic Sports Field, Sunday 2.30pm.

PHILIPS CUP (all games Wednesday, 7.30pm)
Lions v. SYDNEY CITY HAKOAH at Perry HEIDELBERG ALEXANDER v. Preston Makedonia at

Olympic Park.
WEST ADELAIDE HELLAS v. Canberra City at Hin-

MARCONI DATSUN v. APIA-Leichhardt at Marconi Sami-finals: August 11. final: September 12.



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7.	(8)	Wollongang	.6	1	3	15	:13	4	2	5	12:	21	27:34	23
8.	(7)	Preston-Makedonia	.5	4	2	20	:14	2	3	5	10:	20	30:34	21
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		Brisbane Lions						1	5	4	10:	14	29:28	19
		Camberra City						2	5	3	12:	17	29:34	19
		Adelaide City Juventus						2	3	6	13	16	29:27	18
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PSL TEAM OF

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CALDERON (2) KONDARIOS (3) BANFIELD (4) (Foots JUST)

(Adel. City)

YANKOS (3) (H'berg)

BURNS (1) (Brisb. Lions)

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ADELAIDE CITY: Ferguson

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Benfield 9, Flounders 7
Menou 8, Menoch 8, Melta 8
- Villani 8, Rankin 7, J. Nyskohus 8,
By defeating Olympic at
Pratten Park, Adelaide City
had taken three points out of
four from leading Sydney
clubs in two successive matches.

es.

Its form improved considerably from the previous week at St George Stadium, and it shows definite signs of being able to play to its full potential at last.

With Bristol City signing Leslie Carter due to arrive during the week, there is certain to be a big resurgence by the club.

by the club.

Carter has the recommendation of England's impressive youth team manager John Cartwright and surely will add to the strike force.

Not that much was lacking on Sunday, because Charlie Villani notched two goals with near professional ease whilst Chris Manou added another at the end.

Chris Manou added another at the end.

Olympic coach Doug Coilins believes that the undue pressure exerted by the fans at home matches has resulted in a fall-off in results at Pratten Park.

Whilst it is certainly high time for Olympic's supporters to be far more realistic over the fact that every team must end up with none, one or two points from a match, it was no doubt the non-appearance of injured schemer Jim Redfern that contributed to the downfall.

so often left to Peter Katholos to handle the distribution, and City coach John Perin had given John Nyskohus the jeb of seeing that he was prevented from doing so.

Nyskohus did. it to perfection. Peter Raskopoulos controlled things well, but George Akoutas could not measure up as he did early in the year at the St George tournament and he was replaced by Gary Phillips close to the 80 minute mark.

by Gary Phillips close to the 60 minute mark. If Perin allowed himself the success of his side on the day he was well entitled to do so. Without losing control of the pitch he was able to bring back enough men to negate any Olympic attacks.

And when they fanned out if

pitch he was able to bring back enough men to negate any Olympic attacks. And when they fanned out it was Metta, Marocchi and Manou who had plenty of control in midfield and Villani, Nyskohus and Rankin who looked sharp up frooten been amongst the goals this year, but his two in the first half showed that there should be more to come. He opened the scored a similar close-in goal after Neil Banfield, Manou and John Nyskohus had all contributed to the build-up.



Roger Sherack

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In between times Mark Koussas, who is not applying his mind the way he did in the 1881 World Youth Cup, finished in the 1881 World Youth Cup, finished on the right.

Some of the neatest and best work affeld came from former England Youth international Neil Bantield.

He was as cool as a cucumber in a freezer throughout, and only once was he caught out when he made his raids through the centre.

Not one whit less effective was goalkeeper Bobby Ferguson, whose knowledge of angiles, how to punch and punt would take a lot of beating.

His work gave his defence fident it was indeed.

Rarely could the Olympic forwards get a head to the ball around Adelaide City's goal, because up would bob a defender to whisk it away.

Two minutes after the resumption Tommy Gavin pounced on a corner but he only manager to scoop it into the waiting hands of Ferguson. Rowden went wide with a blistering shot, and later Phillips and Ken Wilson both missed.

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Neville Flounders received the only yellow card of the match for showing dissent, and as the final whistle drew mater Olympic became desperate in its attempts to salvage a point.

But then Mike Coady, who had had a quiet game cert and a puiet farm comprehensively. The big fellow struck out for goal and blasted his shot under Gary Meier for a 3-1 result.

The crowd of 4457 was excellent in view of the big celebration day for the Greeks at Paradise Gardens and there was no possibility of any of them quibbling over the result.

Had Olympic won it would have been in second place in view of St George's loss at Marconi, but it simply was not good enough.



A perilous moment for West Adelaide goalkeeper Martyn Crook as he confronts Peter



APIA newcomer Brian Godzik (right) has little hope here of getting past Neil McGachey (right). Sebastian Giampaolo and Ian McGregor are in the background. Picture: FRANK HOBBS.

Boath provides a touch of Brazil

APIA 2

Scorors: Dunn (11th), Manecas (50th), Boath (55th), Honeyman (63rd), Boath (58th), 484th); APIA: Giampaolo (25th), Kafka (39th), Cautions: Giampaolo, Jones (Leichhardt), McGragor, Bren-nan (sont off) (West Ad). Crowd: 3,250. Ground: Hindmarsh Sta-dium

dium.
Referee: Don Cempbell 7.
WEST ADELAIDE HELLAS:
Crook 8 - Totsikas 7,
McGochey 8, Dunn 8, McGregor 7 - Boath 9, Sumner 8,
Bronnan 7 - Honeyman 7,
Managas 8, Hays 8

gor / — Boatt 9, Summer 6, Brennan 7 — Honeyman 7, Manecas 8, Heys 8. APIA-LEICHHARDT: Parkes 7 — Carter 6, Pullen 7, McAusland 7, Skellern 7 — Kafka 6, Bradley 7, Hughes 7 — Godzik 6, Giempaolo 8,



Meno Toutsidis

Allan Boath produced a trick from the Brazilians' repertoire to help bury APIA 5-2 at Hindmarsh Stadium.

The Kiwi World Cup mid-fielder gained possession 35 metres out and crashed an un-

fielder gained possession 35 metres out and crashed an unstoppable shot which goalkeeper Robert Parkes did not see.
That was the third West Adclaide goal and emphasised what a difference Boath and steve Sumner, the New Zealand captain, have made to West which had stumped badly in the last fortnight.
Boath was in terrific form, as he was against Heidelberg, his final game for West before going to Spain.
In that game Boath also scored with a thunderous volley from outside the area.
With Sumner and Boath back, West can now seriously contemplate a top four berth.
APIA, which has not won for APIA, which has not won for the first half but dislanting rated atter half time.
To rub sait into the wound, west played the last 20 minutes with 10 men after refere Donald Campbell sent off Mick Brennan for collecting his second caution within seconds.
West opened the scoring in

is second caution within seconds.

West opened the scoring in the eleventh minute when Robbie Dunn sent a superbleader rising into the roll of the net from a corner kick.

APIA Leichhardt levelled in the 25th minute when Baz Giampaolo, who had been dropped for this game but reinstated when Marshall Soper was ruled out with illness, took advantage of an apparent offside to slide the ball past Martyn Crook.

West took complete control in the second half and needed only five minutes before Boath slipped the ball into the six metra area for Manecas to slam past Parkes.

Boath notched the third in the 55th minute with his 35-metre bomb.



West, which had not beaten.

West, which had not beaten.

APIA since 1878, took advantage of their domination with a fourth goal, a penalty kick by Graham Honeyman.

Trailing 41, APIA began to get physical and Blacktown recruit Peter Jones blatantly kicked Crook as he came forward to collect a ball.

Jones, who deserved a red card, was cautioned and moments later Brennan was on his way to the dressing room after a tackle on Jones.

But if APIA was hoping to take advantage of the stuation, it sadly backfired for the sadly backfired for the sadly and the sadly backfired for the sadly backfired for the sadly backfired for the sadly backfired for sadly backfired for the sadly backfired for sadly backfired for the sadly backfired for sadly b

area

Although he conceded five
goals, Parkes can not be
blamed for this defeat as he
stopped two certain goals, one
a blistering drive from
Manecas early in the second
half.



Boden returns, four goals not enough for Kosmina

Sydney C.5 Brisb. C. 2

SYDNEY CITY HAKOAH: Clarke 8, Mullen 7, Robertson 7, Bruce 7, Cant 7, Spanes 7, Patikas 7, Watson 8, Kosmina 7, Borges 7 (Boden 73rd), Mit-chell 8.

cholf 8.

BRISBANE CITY: Pezzano
7, McVeigh 7, Pimblett 7, Hermiston 7, Perry 8, Liddell 7,
Hamilton 7, Conner 7, Tokesi
7, Bohan 7, Glockner 6 (Palinkas 51st).

Scorers: Patikas 10m, Kosmina (pan) 39m, Kosmina (pan) 39m, Kosmina (pan) 51m, Kosmina 79m, Brisb, City: Bohan 43m, Palinkas 49m.

ohen 43m, Palinkas 49m.
Referee: D. Rennie.
Crowd: 1018.
Venue: Sydney Athletic ield.

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If John Kosmina thought he had a bad game when he scored four goals against Brisbane City, what would he regard as a good game?

Kosmina was quite unhappy about his performance and said it was nowhere near the standard of his other games.

standard of his other games. It was still good enough to tear the heart out of Brisbane City just when it looked like holding the PSL leaders. The scoreline was 5-2 in Javor of Sydney City but both coaches, Nereo Sattich and Eddie Thomson, agreed it was not a true reflection of the match.

match.
"We played tight with a strong midfield and didn't de-

serve that type of score", said Saftich, while Thomson added: "They were a much harder side than we had expected and they made us work for the two points."

Patikas and Kosmina had the ball into the net in the first 40 minutes, but Brisbane City struck back over the next 10 minutes to level the scores.

of the ball than Sydney City and was knocking it about in strong, attacking style.

The turning point occurred two minutes after Joe Palinkas had equalised for Brisbane City, when Nello Borges chipped a ball which bounced chest-high in front of Kosmina. With the flair of a top Brazilian striker, Kosmina launched himself backwards and planted an overhead kick just under the crossbar to give his team the lead.

The match was sealed 10 minutes later when the strong-

running David Mitchell burst into the penalty area only to be brought down by Brisbane keeper Tony Pezzano and Kosmina converted his second penalty.

It seems to be almost impossible for any team to eatch the front-running Slickers, especially with players on the sidelines such as Boden, Murray and Steve O'Connor.

The most interesting re-appearance was that of Boden or the last 15 minutes. He ran freely and his magnificent

fourth goal.

Boden hit the ball from the left sideline almost to the right hand line where Watson held it and passed to Spanos, who pushed it back to Watson and on to Mitchell who set it up for Kosmina.

Kosmina.
"It was my first solid hitout in months. I felt good and can only get better," said Boden.
What gloomy words they must be for the defenders in the other PSL teams.

With Lowe, who needs Johnston?

Makedonia 1 Newcastle 2

Newcastle Z
Scorars: Hamilton 24th 1-0,
Drinkwater pbn.; 2-0 44th;
Ward 85th, 2-1.
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Newcastle United is within one point of drawing clear of relegation danger after beating Makedonia 2-1.

reaction to the season, re-legation had seemed inevitable for Newcastle, but the acquisi-tion of Jim Hamilton and Stuart Robertson from Britain and guest player Craig Johnston has lifted the team to new heights.

aghts. Although it played without Johnston, Newcastle was far superior and young forward David Lowe did everything Johnston would have done,



Hamilton, Robertson, Craig lason and David Jones, who ropped back after Alf Stamp Mason and David Jones, who dropped back after Alf Stamp replaced Robertson, thoroughly outplayed their opponents in midfield for Lowe to set up attacks galore.

Newcastle is still second

last with 17 points but only one point behind Adelaide City and Footscray JUST. The defeat was costly to Makedonia which had hoped to move closer to the top four. Before the match Make-donia was only two points off fourth place.

fourth place.

Newcastle went into the lead in the 24th minute when Hamilton controlled a pass at the edge of the penalty area and cut inside an opponent before belting the ball past goalkeeper Steve Potter.

Newcastle continued to attack and went further ahead

through a penalty a minute before half-time. Fullback Ljube Petrovski touched a shot by David Jones

touched a shot by David Jones on the goal line, with Potter beaten. Referee David Yelland awarded the penalty and it was Newcastle captain Roy Drinkwater who scored.

Makedonia player-coach Peter Ollerton left himself out for the second half in order to include Richard Miranda.

Makedonia's consolation goal came during injury time at the end of the game and it was Gary Ward who scored from a cross by Claude Lucchesi.

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Yankos stars, but young **Lions roar loudest**

Brisb. Lions 1 Heidelberg 0

(Schollers, Allan Kibbler 8, 1874)

Respective of the state of the sta

It took Brisbane Lions five weeks to learn to play to guest player Alan Sund derland's feet and they were rewarded with a 1-0 win over Heidelberg Alex-ander at Richlands.

win over Heldelberg Alexander at Richlands.

Lions and Heldelberg had been locked in a scoreless draw for the entire first half and it was 18 minutes into the second period when Danny Wright carried a bail down the second period when Danny Wright carried a bail down the held had been a standard or the second period when Danny Wright carried a bail will we who then hit a crisp ball straight to Sunderland on the left hand corner of the six-yard box.

Sunderland must have been stunned by the service as previously, and in nearly all the other games of his five week stay, he has had to try to leap above defenders much taller or chase long through passes to get hold of the ball. But with the ball at his feet he looked a class player and dummined to send his marker one way and turned the other one way and turned the other consulty to four and with him leaving on Thursday it is a pity it took so long for the English first division player and his Lions team-mates to "citick."

But Sunderland's goal lions team and the sorred and it will be interesting to watch over the next few weeks the progress of



Ricky Rosso

some of the youngsters who played alongside him. Australian youth squad member Danny Wright is one who certainly has come on during Sunderland's stay although against Heidelberg he did not have one of his better

though against Heldelberg, he did not have one of his better games.

But Wright is not the only youngster in the Llons team and against Heidelberg, they flelded probably the youngest midfield in any PSL side this season. Coach Joe Giltroy named Steve Hogg, Paul Burns and John Ogden as his main three midfielders, all aged under 23 years, with Rom Millman dropping back from the forwards at times to make a fourth middle man.

Burns, Hogg and Ogden belied their interperience and played tough hassling games while Millman expertly succeeded in his assigned job of marking Jim Campbell.

Journal of the complete of the many players they have cut injured, including Billy Williamson, Bobby Ferris and Craig Low. But they would do well to give the midfield trio of Burns. Hogg and Ogden some more games together and preare them for next season.

At any rate, with the

pare them for next senson.

At any rate, with the
Queensland Soccer Federsation's transfer deadline passing last Wednesday, it is unlikely Lions will get anyone although they sought extensions
on three players, John Dann of
Ipswich, Gary Bromfield of
Waves and Mount Gravatt's
Gary Bohan. Ipswich and
Waves have asked for exchange players rather than
cash, but Lions have no-one to
give while Mount Gravatt have

slapped a \$5000 transfer on Bohan's head.

For Heidelberg Charlie Management of the back, Illing in for the lapted ban year of the back, Illing in for the lapted ban Yeardoorn, and did his work with the minimum of thiss or error. Several times he was called upon to mark Sunderland and untile some other defenders, namely Don Maclead, was not skinned.

Mick Valentine got through a fair amount of work and Chris Beklaris, although not getting much of the ball, maintained his position and gave day Milliman, and somewhat out of the game, and the keen young Lions' midfielders contesting every ball, the Beidelberg midfield did not get a chance to settle and subsequently their service to front-runners Gary Cole and Jamie Paton was poor.

shines

Marconi 3 St George 1

Peter Sharne

Watson gives most credit to Buljevic

SM-Hellas 3 Foots. JUST 2

Scorers: 1-0 Egan 5m, 1-1 Ristovski 26m, 1-2 Simic 43m, 2-2 Egan 67m, 3-2 Halford

92m. Ground: Middle Park. Attendance: 5000 (estima

Beforee C. Bambridge & Cautions: Hazabent, Blair, HELLAS: Tsigaras 7, Beanest 7, Blair 6, Kanthopoulos 7, Nicolaides 6, Halford 8, Devidson 6, Shirra 6, Egan 8, Buljovic 9, Campbell 6.

JUST: Ciric 8, Stojcevski 6, Kondarias 9, O. Reilly 6, Hazabent 7, Jovanovic 6, Ilioski 7, Milno 6, Ristovski 7, Simic 6, Kojic 6, (Curovic 72m).

Regardless of the result and the thrills and spills it produced, this match stood out as a personal triumph for two players now prov-ing indispensable to the re-

Alex Vesic

front. And it was these two who caused the damage from

who caused the damage from which St George never recov-



Peter Desira

spectable sides after their future had at one stage looked in doubt.

Jim Kondariois and Branko Buljevic, both now bracketed Jim Andad mos and Datanko Buljevic, both now bracketed in the veteran category and almost discarded at one time or another over the past IB months, stood out like beacons and provided inspiration for east; by drawing confidence from all that is happening off the park at either Hellas or JUST.

Kondarios still is carrying the stigma of being axed from the stigma of being axed from contractual dispute but the club has no better reader of the game, no better header of the ball, and definitely no better leader for a team which, whether Milenko Rusmir admits it or not, is well and truly embroiled in a relegation battle from now on.

I say this will all due respect to Zoran Ilioski, whom I admire greatly as a player, but who still lacks the experience to impose his authority on the team or a game.

Buljevic was very much on the outer at Hellas after the departure of his mentor and greatest admirer John Marga-ritis but it is significant that his return to the starting line-up has coincided with Hellas'

He has scored in two od those games and caretaker coach Mike Watson was houest enough to admit afterwards that Hellas "wouldn't have won it without Branko" on Sunday.

The TV replay on Sunday night didn't do him justice but the gangling winger presented himself in unmarked positions while Charlie Egan insisted on going it alone in front of goal in the opening half hour.

Egan's goal sense has been the one saving grace in Hellas' dismal close season spending spree and the striker deserves all the glory for what he has achieved so far but he ought not to be taking the whole world on when other players are better positioned.

At it was, Buljevic had a hand in the first and set up the second for Egan in a game in which the lead changed three times.

The match was only five minutes old when Egan ran onto the return pass from Bul-jevic to hammer past Milutin Ciric from inside the box.

Ciric kept JUST in the game with three great saves before the visitors grabbed the equal-iser through a thunderbolt from Mendo Ristovski in the

Referee Chris Bambridge had to check the netting and order running repairs as Ris-tovski's shot — despite pres-sure from three defenders — went straight through the goal and hit the back fence.

JUST took the lead four minutes from half time follow-ing a goalmouth scramble in which Socrates Nicolaides cleared off the line from Kon-darios.

Paul Simic applied the fin-ishing shot although Konda-rios' knee helped to deflect the ball out of Tsigaras' reach.

After the break it was Hel-las' turn to look a beaten side but it got the lift it was looking for in the 62nd minute through Egan's second goal.

Buljevic deserves all the credit for it, turning under pressure after receiving from Egan, then riding two tackles before squaring the ball for the nippy striker to shoot home.

Carl Holford, who had an impressive afternoon in mid-lield, grabbed Hellas' winner in the second minute of injury time, swooping on to the re-bound after Igor Hazabent had blocked a shot from Egan to shoot home from the edge of the box.

That's genuine fighting spirit

South Melbourne Hellas is in the midst of a topsy turvy season but no-one can deny the fighting spirit of at least two fo its players.

One of them, a recent ac-quisition, and the other, an es-tablished Socceroo, are report-ed to have shown excellent fighting qualities after train-ing last week.

Their verbal argument erup-ted into a free-for-all. The recent acquisition was quicker and more direct with his flai-ling fists and won the fight.

There was no sign of their set-to against Footscray J.U.S.T. though, as they frequently passed the ball to each other during Hellas' 3-2 win.

Wollongong wants top four spot

Wollongong 3 Canberra 0

corers: O'Connor 53', m Penalty 56', Dunleavy

Venue: Wollongong Show

ground.
Crowd: 2200.
Referens: Gary Power 7
Wollongong: Preston
Willis 7, Bertogns 7, Ainsworth 7, Dunleavy 8 — Waldron 7, Fleming 7, Aden
Tredinnick 7 — O'Connor 8,
Cotton 7.
Canbarra: Hoszowaki 7 — Otton 6, T. Baron 6, Muraw

Tredinnick 7 - O'Connor 8,
Cotton 7.
Canberra: Hoszowski 7 Ontong 6, T.Byrne 6, Murray
6, Ambrosino 6 - G.Byrne 6,
Christopoulos 6, Bryant 6 Maclaren 6 (1.Stone 59th 6),
Gibson 6, Purdio 6.
Manager Ken Morton would
not say it but Wollongong
clearly Is alming for a spot In
the top four series. A
Mere disposing for a weak
Canberra side with authority
and composes; Wollongong
composition of the control of the control
There was never any doubt
as to the outcome of the
match, although the home side
was kept at bay for almost an
hour.



Philip Micallef

But when Wollongong eventually struck two goals in three minutes, Canberra's fate appeared to be sealed.

Midfielder Lee Adam displayed all his creative and inventive talents and had a hand in all three goals.

First he pinpointed a marvellous cross for O'Connor to head in the first goal past Steve Hoszowski.

Then, after converting a penalty kick for an Ambrosino 'hands' in the area, he set Cotton up with yet 'another dream pass and Dunleavy slot-ted the ball home after the striker's hard shot had rocked the crossbar.

Canberra had no answer to Wollongong's all-round superi-

In the second half, after the early double knock-out blow, Canberra attempted a timid reaction but Wollongong was far more dangerous with less intricate moves.

Cotton had another header turned for a corner by Hos-zowski and before the end Tre-dinnick had a fine diagonal shot against the upright.

Canberra was well and truly beaten and clearly misssed the suspended Mike Milovanovic and injured Tony Brennan.

Waldron signed for Wollon-gong a fortnight ago after ter-minating his commitments in the Hong Kong League.

Yellow cards: Bozanic, Wilkinson. MARCONI: Mahor 9, Bonick Sulinis 8, Preskot 7, And Control of Sulinis 8, Preskot 7, And Control of Sulinis 8, Preskot 7, National Marcon 1, Mariani 7, Licata 7, Rateliffo 1, Licata 7, Rateliffo 1, Licata 7, Rateliffo 1, Licata 1, Stone 8, WilNational 7, Rateliffo 1, Licata 1, Stone 8, WilLicata 1, Stone 1, Rateliffo 1, Licata 1, Rateli

Wollongong was without Larry Gaffney, who still is troubled with hamstring prob-lems, but substitute Alan Wal-dron played well and is adap-ing himself nicely to new sur-roundings.

Tight at the top in Tassie

It's still neck and neck at the top in the Cadbury State League (South) competition in Tasmania following Fridey night's double header in which

double header in which both Juventus and Olympia scored victories. Olympia were always the better side against Metro, but, in the end, they must be thankful that they won 4.3' Menever Olympia surged ahead, they contrived to make basic errors at the back; thus allowing Metro back into the game. Munro (2), Tarros and Sherman scored for the Greek side, while John McIntyre with two goals, and Paul Hallam, were Metro's scorers.
Juventus stayed on top, one

half.
The first came in the 53rd minute, following a corner on the left. Sergio Pace sent a

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high corner into the penalty area and it was the Juventus right back, Harrison, who rose above the other heads to nod the ball home. Until then, the game lacked excitement and a draw was on the cards.

draw was on the cards. Harrison got in the act again half an hour later when he floated a high ball from the right to the far post. Parodi mulfed his header and the ball fell somewhat fortuitously to Ward's feet and he blasted a fierce shot into the roof of the net. It was Ward's 21st goal in 12 games and ended White Eagles' hopes in this match.

Eric Young made it 3-0 when he bent a low free kick through the Eagles' 'wall' and past the stunned Michniewski in the

The most pleasing feature of the game was the excellent

display by Juventus' sweeper, Nick Lapolla. It was his first match in almost nine months after suffering knee ligament damage in pre-seaon training.

damage in pre-seaon training. Brighton won its second game of the season with an excellent 2-1 win over third placed Rapid Parker scored both goals in the first five minutes and although Phil Kannegiesser, playing on the field instead of in goal, pulled one back for Rapid in the 56th minute, brave goalkeeping by Di Venuto saw Brighton take both points and move off the bottom of the table.

Olympis						
, Rapid 12	7	1	4	16	9	1
White Eagles: 12	7	1	- 4	18	13	11
Grostin	6	1	5	28	25	1
Maizo 12	4	2	5	21	32	1
Brightss12						
South Hobert 12	3	0	18	14	48	-
	-	_	_	_	-	_



Sharne.
Sharne managed to put in a few good runs but was seldom seen during the second half as Mike O'Shea shadowed the speedy striker all around the park.

Mel. Marconi has gained the full bag of points and Sharne the accolades but the real winners for Marconi were Caideron and Maher. Steve Caideron, the youngster with great enthusiasm and power was everywhere to deny St George access and when they did break through there stood the tall figure of Maher to stop everything Saints could throw at him.

In fact a Maher save from Des Marton could be classed as the match winner. With the score standing at 2-0 and sant applying the pressure. Saints and phyling the pressure should be considered the saint applying the pressure. Saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure. Saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure. Saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure. Saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the pressure. Saint saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the saint applying the pressure of the saint applying the saint apply



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CROATIA 2 (Latif, Brogan) IORWELL FALCONS 3 MORWELL (McClunie 2, Bond).

Morwell's Big M's, McClunie and Mitten, and their inspired, competitive team mates conspired to hatch a devi-lish plot which killed off Croatia's chances of winning the State League championship.

Falcons surely are an exciting team. I tey're not scoring goals at one end of the itch they're giving them away at the other.

Croatia

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Polonia

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Six minutes passed before Sandy Irvine prepared to take a free kick a few metres outside his area on the left side.

Keeper Bill Whiteside ran toward Irvine looking for the simple tap back but Croatia striker Dave Brogan came over and stood next to Whiteside. Irvine quickly took the free but miscued sending the ball to the feet of Osman Latif about 10 metres away. The young Croatia striker kept his head well, looked up and saw the gaping goal and struck the ball into the net from about 20 metres out.

About 10 minutes later though Falcons hit back. McClunie's back header to Mitten was headed back to big McClunie who switched play to Harry Bingham on the right and took off into the Croatia area. Bingham cut inside his opponent and sent over an inch perfect near post ball to the incoming McClunie whose firm header gave Croatia keeper Peter Blasby no chance.

Falcons kept going forward and Croatia

chance. Falcons kept going forward and Croatia

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always looked susceptible at the back, being caught square far too often.

Mitten burst clear in the 32nd minute down the right, controlled well near the by-line, looked up and saw McClunie at the back post and sent over a fine chip. McClunie had to move away from goal to meet the ball with his head but he still was able to power it hard and fast past Blasby.

One minute into the second stanza scores should have been level. Jozo Antolovic cleverjy took a quick free kick and sent little Josip Biskic down the right. Biskic crossed and Steve Gojevic headed over to end the ensuing goalmouth melee.

Biskic's appearance as a half time replace-

goalmouth melee
Biskie's appearance as a half time replacement for cultured midfielder Jeff Faulkner
was amazing. Faulkner certainly wasn't
Croatia's worst first half performer and
Biskie was injured, lasting only & minutes
before being replaced by half fit Tony Curclo.
Croatia deservedly levelled in the 54th

REVENGE FOR AJAX,

minute when Antolovic back headed over the Falcons' defence to unmarked Dave Brogan who neatly slipped the ball under Whiteside's body from six metres.

A fine counter attack, a dreadful mistake from Steve Kokoska, an ounce of luck and the opportunism of Bond combined to produce the decisive goal in the 78th minute.

decisive goal in the 78th minute.

John O'Callaghan was inside his defensive half and played the ball inside to McClunie whose fire the work of the felt should easily have seen out only by Kookes. Somehow Kokoka completely missed and Mitten was motoring toward the Croatia enal Blasby came out and parried well but was unfortunate as the ball lobbed up in the air. Mitten ran in and headed goalward but Blasby recovered quickly only to get a hand to the ball and watch in dismay as the incoming Bond finished off the move and Croatia from a metre out.

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Rooney scores twice in Croydon debut

CROYDON 2 (Rooney 2) HELLAS HAKOAH 2 (Cummings, Gray)

CROYDON: Edwards 8 — Reiney 7, Haupt 8, McCombe 7, Hobson 7 — Corka 7 (Tlachuk 10th), J. Rooney 8, Dobson 6 — P. Lough-Miller 10, 100 — P. Miller 10, 100 — P. Miller 10, 100 — P. Miller 10, 100 — P. Lough-Miller 10, 100 — P. L

Two first half goals by Two first half goals by Croydon's new \$3000 signing, former Socceroo captain Jimmy Rooney, were cancelled out by Hellas-Hakoah during a dramatic last 10 minutes at Croydon Park.

Rooney, the former Lions, APIA. Marconi and Heidelberg midfield general, made a dream debut for his new club when he found space on the left side of the area in the first half and hammered the ball home inside the far post.

Croydon lans were incensed when their penalty pleas were ignored later in the half after Rooney appeared to have been brought down inside Hellas-Hakoah's area.

But the home side capped a great opening 45 minutes by making it 2-0 just before the break.

Rooney made a 50 metre off-the-ball run as Peter Lough-nane took off down the right. He crossed, a Hellas-Hakoah defender missed with an at-tempted clearance and Rooney was on hand to strike the ball under the body of 17 year old goalkeeper Mark Perree.

With 10 minutes left a terrible defensive blunder by Croydon let in elusive Duncan Cummings who made it 2-1.





Jimmy Rooney

League champion-ship if it beats Juventus at Olympic Park No. 2 ground on Sunday.

Surely Ajax manager-coach Bobby McLachlan won't have to strain his well worn vocal cords to motivate his players here.

here.

Ajax is out to protect its four point league lead and to avenge its loss to Juventus earlier this season. What more motivation do the Ajax players

motivation do the Ajax players need?

These players will show their true colors on Sunday and win well. They form the classiest outlit in the league and thoroughly deserve to be perched in top spot.

In John Gardiner and Stuart Cannell Ajax has the best central defensive combination in the league. Big Juventus strictle of the Color of the Co

Reserve
McLachian was angered by
Press comments after Juventus won 2-1 at Green Gully
Reserve earlier this season.
One journalist was so moved
by the Juventus victory to proclaim that it had been almost a
decade since the State League
had seen a team of the calibre
of Juve, 1882 style. He's been
made to eat his words since
and he'll be silenced for all
time on Sunday.
The big rumors doing the

and new time on Sunday.

The big rumors doing the rounds at Croatia was that transfer listed defender Steve

MacKAY MA

Albion Rovers v Croatie at Selwyn Park, 2.45 pm. Ringwood Wilhelmina v Po-Ionia at Jubileo Park, 2.45 pm. Morwell Falcons v Sunshina at North Crinigan Reserve, 2.45 pm.

SUNDAY SUNDAY
Frankston City v Northcote
at Centenary Park, 3 pm.
George Cross v Croydon at
Chaplin Resorve, 3 pm.
Hellas-Hakoah v Doveton at
Middle Park, 3 pm.
Juventus v Ajax at Olympic
Park No. 2, 3 pm.

Short would be invited back his week. If so he could be rushed into the side for Saturday's clash at Selwyn Park against Albion Rovers.
And it wouldn't surprise if former Scottish international fullback Duncan MacKay takes over as coach of Croatla. MacKay resigned last week as coach of First Division club Morcland and Croatia president Joe Sigur has a high regard for MacKay's coaching ability.

Import Prapa Deankayir a

ability.
Import Drago Deankovic, a
23 year old from NK Rijeka in
Yugoslavia, could make his
debut on Saturday for Croatia.
Albion is hard to beat at the
best of times. On the bumpy
surface of its home ground it
should be able to hold out for
a point against a Croatia outflit

a point against a Croatia outfit strangely lacking in com-mitment.

Sunshine's revitalised effort against Ringwood Wilhelmina on Sunday sets up a great con-frontation with high flying

though. They really look good going forward. Provided they maintain their attacking at-titude they can knock off the Shinars.

maintain their attacking adritude they can knock off the
Shiners.
Polonia's drive to establish
itself as a top four side may
latter at Jubilee Park on Saturday when it runs into a Ringwood Wilhelmian out'it hell
bent on erasing the memory of
last weekend's reversal.

I'm tipping a draw, provided
Wilhelmina keeps classy
Janusz Przybyla in check and
doesn't let Alex Marshall
catch it out on the break.
Either Frankston City or
Northcote will be overcome by
the relegation blues at the end
of their clash at Centenary
Park on Sunday. I'm going for a tree
to going to suprise outlier at
some the suprise of the service of
Scotch I won from a senior
Frankston official last year.
Believe it if you can but I still
haven't z sighted that nectar
of the gael.

A draw with Northcote on
Sunday will be the first nail in
heir coffin.

Doveton already has a foot
in First Division and won't get

their cofflin.

Doveton already has a foot in First Division and won't get any joy from its visit to Midele Park to take Jim Adam's Hellas-Hakoah.

Croydon will beat George Cross at Chaplin Reserve on Sunday. I think it's just about time for lan Loughtane to hit the goal scoring trail with a vengeance.

NELSON LEADS REVIVAL

SUNSHINE 3 (R. Nelson 3) RINGWOOD WILHEL-MINA 1 (Gibson)

SUNSHIME: Messeni 6 — Mussel 6, Lowe 7, Gramsbergen 9, Taylor 8 — Bain 6, Watsra 8, R. Nelson 8 — Mudrinic 7 (Michally 65th), Pate 6, D. Nelson 8. — WILHELMINA: Barcley 7 — Pazaman 6, O'Riley 5 (de Graaf 70th), Luytan 4, Varnhors 8 — Ghoon 5, Tront 5, Thomas 4 (van Lauwnden h.T. 0) — Hoyland 5, Currol 4, Stewart 5.

Carnol 4, Stewart 5.

The Shiners are back to their best.

That's the opinion of joint coach Steve Gaw after midfielder Rob Nelson notched a hat-trick in his sides 3.1 win over much improved Ringwood Wilhelmina.

"The boys are starting to get back to their Buffalo Cup form at last," said Gaw.

"They're starting to believe in themselves again. Robbie Nelson got among the goals and Norrie Pate played his best game for some time."

Wilhelmina, fresh from its giant killing effort against Croatia the previous week, suffered its first setback in the

S5th minute.
Chris Taylor had pushed forward from his left back spot and sent over a far post free kick to Rob Nelson who headed down and past the despairing clay.

Where's Best? Where's Martin Best? Juventus dearly would love

to know.

Apparently so would a few players playing with a club in Hong Kong.

But the man who came here telling us all that he was a cousin of George Best appears to have disappeared.

Five minutes later scores were level. Dennis Masseni was caught out of position and Dave Gibson scored direct from a corner. Masseni claimed after the match that he had been infringed. Former Kiwi international Billy de Graaf replaced sweeper Paul O'Riley in the 70th minute and played a bad back pass to Barclay. Pate interpted and shot against the big Wilhelmina keeper but Nelson was following up and slammed was following up and slammed the ball home from about 15 metres.

Sunshine fans hadn't reacted happily about five minutes earlier when young John Mudrinic was replaced by John McKell was replaced by John McKell when McKelly beat three opponents down the right and crossed to Rob Nelson whose fine diving header settled the scoreline.

Mila, Macleod

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The best players from each club for last weekend's game were: Sunshine v Ringwood Wilhelmina: Gramsbergen (S), Pasman 1999.

Northcote v Albion Rovers: Nixon (N), Creany (AR).
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Croatia v Morwell Falcons: Antolovic (C), Neale (MF).
Polonia v GerogeCross: Mila (P), Vella (GC).
Croydon v Hellas-Hekosh: Haupt (C), Cummings (H-H).
Doveton v Juventus: Webster (D), McGrory (J).
Ajax v Frankston: Gardiner (A), Drinocaky (F).
Polonia's classy sweeper Stefan Mila and Frankston City
er Paul Drinocaky lead the voting with 18 votes each.
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award.
The leading sharpshooter for the 1982 league season wins a trip to Singapore, Rying Thai International.
Ajax striker Gus Macleod, the penalty king, leads with 12 goals followed by team mate Paul Lewis with 10 goals. Dave Bregan of Croatia and Morvell Falcons striker Richis McClunie are next with nine goals each.

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AJAX 5 (Paul Lewis 2, Macleod penalty, Boyle, Morrey) FRANKSTON

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sen.
Six minutes later Wright brought down Paul Lewis inside the Frankston area and Gus Macleod did his business from the paulice of the front of the second of the second

sen no chance.

A free kick outside the Frankston area saw the ball played to Ajax newcomer Peter Boyle, signed from Preston Makedonia last week and the former West Adelaide midfielder slammed the ball

Dead Doves

DOVETON 1 (Webster) JUVENTES 5 (McGrory 3,

cantalupo)
DOVETON: Ivenoff 5 - Thurlow
6, Corke 7, Naluel 7 (C. Middlemast
60th), K. Middlemast 6 - Molyor 7,
7 ann 6, Andrews 8, Girsce 7 (Spirk 8,
10 - Molyor 1,
10 - M

A hat-trick to big Irish stri-ker Joe McGrory and a comedy of errors at the back for Doveton at Waratah Re-serve combined to make the home side odds on favorite to drop out of State League this season.

season.
Peter Thurlow brought
down Kevin Swincoe inside the

down Kevin Swincoe inside the area and Paddy Bannon made area and Paddy Bannon made area and made and the penalty spot just after half time. Then midfielder Jim Train tried to pass back to Ivandff but the ball hit the post, rebounded onto Ivanoff's back and there was McGrory to knock it into the empty goal and make it 30-d. Incantalupo let fly with a ferree dipping shot from about 20 metres to make it 4-0 and big McGrory pounced on a Paul Corke erroe, rounded two defenders and slotted the ball past Ivanoff to make it 5-0. Fine debut by Smolarek

Boland and Paparas join Sth. Melbourne Mordialloc

Goalkeeper Dennis Boland and striker Jim Paparas joined Second Division club South Melbourne Mordialloc just before the June 30 transfer deadline.

Boland was signed on loan ill the end of the season from PSL club Footscray J.U.S.T. for \$2,500. Paparas was bought for \$4

To \$2,500.

Paparas was bought for \$4,500 from George Cross.
They will link up with former J.U.S.T. star Jim Kriaris and South Melbourne Mordialloc player-coach Billy Rae, ex-Hakoah, Albion, Melbourne and Box Hill star.
Young Greg Stamboulyidis, a midfielder or striker, also has joined. He signed from Northcote.
Kriaris scored South Melbourne Mordialloc's goal in its

Northcole
Kriaris scored South Melbourne Mordialloc's goal in its
fine 1-I draw with St Albans
Dinamo on Saturday but was
sent off in the 48th minute.
Former Footscray J.U.S.T.
star Joe Picloane who left
Marconi with the intention of
playing with Fawkner, will
coach Provisional League club
Batman Lazio until the end of
the season.

METROPOLITAN **DIVISION ONE**

BOX HILL 5 (Remos, Taylor Pen., Patterson, Verechia, Hughes 40 min.) ALTONA CITY: 2 (Hands,

Hamili Pen.).
BOX HILL: Morgan 7, McLeed 7,
Roodhous 5, Layder 7, Brownils 8,
Heghes 8, Tolmis 8,
Fores 8, Tolmis 8,
Friestly 50 mos 8, Tolmis 8,
Friestly 50 mos 8, Tolmis 9,
ALTONA CITY: Vanderpoel 8,
Wilson 5, Hysbop 7, Yilmaz 5, (Kil-patrick H.T. 8), Hamili 7, Leonard 5,
Mercar 6, Memballs 4, Prior 1, Jones
5, (O'Boyle 80 min.), Hands 7.

A scintillating first half dis-play in which they netted five times was enough to give Box Hill a comfortable win, over Altona City, despite a second half slump during which the

POLONIA 3 (Marshall 2, P. Czapnik) GEORGE CROSS (Lisilder) POLONIA: Ostrowsky 8 - Klain 8 linj. Pichner 50th), A. Czapnik 9, Mile 9, Smolarek 8 - Lipierski 8, P. Czapnik 9, Czolnowski 8 - Lekic 8, Przybyka 9, Marzhall 8. GEORGE CROSS: Tachiris 7 - Morgan 7, Wilkinson 7, Blusic 7, Pisani 6 Ziepighr N.T. 7) - Szenri 7, Rigbt 7, McCann 7, Vela 6 - Toal 7,

Gibber 7.

Former LKS Lodz defender Mirek Smolarek made his debut for Polonia and blotted out ace George Cross striker Bobby Toal, Smolarek came to Australia about 14 months ago but only was able to play for Polonia once Richard Sekulski moved to Frank-

able to play for ruloma once actuals occasion invocation and ston, opening up a temporary visa vacancy.

Janusz Przylyla and Peter Czapnik played a fine one-two inside the Cross area in the 11th minute and Czapnik socred,

Polonia went further ahead after 28 minutes when big Alex

Polonia went further ahead after 28 minutes when big Alex Marshail let fly from about 12 metres on a tight angle. Carl Gilder's header into the far corner in the 60th minute gave Cross some hope of salvaiging a draw but Marshail "skinned" two defenders with five minutes remaining and expertly slotted the bail past the helpless Tachiris.

Constantinou gets two

NORTHCOTE 2 (Constantinou 2) ALBION ROVERS 2 atton o.g., Cutler)

NORTHCOTE: Kardamitais 7 - Nelson 7, Maitland 8, Lutton lini, Tsetsos 15th 8), Bookkis 8 - Nixon 8, Wright 7, Fakoa 7, Licelard 7 (Bol 55th 7) - Constantinou 9, McCurdy 8, ALBION: Lacock 6 - Cutler 8, A. McMillan 7, Creany 8, Nesbit 7 - Ferrie 6, Really 6 (Mugyey Stat), Coyle 6 - Lloyd 9, 3, McMillan 6, Smart 7.

Reithy e (Murphy Stat), Coyle 6 - Loyd 8, S. McMillian 6, Smart 7.

Northcate's teenage striker Peter Constantinus gave his club renewed hope of pushing clear from the relegation zone with two goals against Albin on Sunday.

The youngster gave the Northerners an 8th minute lead with an incredible goal from a tight angle.

Former South Melbourne Hellas sweeper Bertie Lutton stuck out a foot in the way of an Albin free kick and deflected the ball past young Spiro Kardamitsis in the Northcote goal to level a few minutes later.

Albion hit the front with about 20 minutes remaining when Kardamitsis looked badly positioned behind his defensive wall and Gary Cutler's free kick sent the ball shooting into the Northcote goal.

goal.

But Constantinou was at the back post in the 80th minute to make no mistake from close range and give his side a well deser-



Jim Paparas

Jim Paparas
visitors snatched back two
goals to give the result a
certain air of respectability.
It didn't take the youthul
Hillmen long to get into their
stride and they opened the
scoring with the game barely
five minutes old. Roodhouse
advancing from the left back
position found Verechia on the
edge of the area, a reverse
pass to Taylor left the whole
Altona defence on the wrong
foot and Patterson's cross
found Ramos in space is
metres out. The clever midfielder took the ball in his stride, and slotted it past Vanfuses.

In he 18th minute the Hillline cased their het when

In the 18th minute the Hill-In the 18th minute the Hill-men increased their lead when Memishi ran straight through Ramos on the penalty spot, and Taylor drove the resulting spot kick hard and low into the bottom right hand corner, Altona battled desperately to get back into the game, but were unable to penetrate the iron curtain thrown up by Brownie, Lawler, McLeod and Roodhouse. In the 20th minute the Hill-in the 20th minute the Hill-

Roodhouse.

In the 20th minute the Hillmen notched their third goal. Verechia was fouled on the left touchline, and Ramos took the free kick quickly. Patterson on the left hand corner of the penalty area allowed the ball to run past him and hit it left foot on the turn into the far corner, mast the despairing left hand of past the despairing left hand of Vanderpoel.

The Hillmens' lead, and their grip on the game was

vanderpoet.

The Hillmens' lead, and their grip on the game, was further extended in the 37th and 40th minutes when first Verechia nodded home fromie's cross, then Hughes following up a Patterson shot which the keeper could only parry, buried the ball in the bottom left hand corner to record goal number five.

The second half was only four minutes old when the visitors began their salvage job. A determined run down the right by Leonard carried the ball almost to the corner flag and his cross eluded four Box

right by Leonard carried the ball almost to the corner flag and his cross eluded four Box Hill defenders and two Altona forwards before reaching Hands at the far post. The young winger made no mistake from close range giving Morgan no chance.

Box Hill did not seem to be able to recapture their rhythm and verve of the first half, and the visitors pressed forward, eager to triumph over a seemingly lost cause, forcing the Hillmen to concede a number of corners. From one of these Mercer fired in a shot which struck Taylor on the elbow and referee Zoumas had no hesitation in awarding a penalty in awarding a penalty

kick.

Hamill struck the ball well but was horrified to see it slam into the post before cannoning around the onrushing players of both sides. In the ensuing melee the ball flound its way to Memishi who was clattered by Ramos, and Zoumas again pointed to the spot. This time Hamill made no mistake sending Morgan the wrong way.

KNOX CITY 1 (House) ALTONA GATE 3 (Mi-cevski 2, Anastasovski).

KNOX: Turudia, Allison, Thom-non, S. Smith (Schroeder H.T.) Murray Dixon, D. Smith, McNell, House, Lesbirsl, Dideo (Wild 78th). ALTONA GATE: Schriripa, Traj-covski, Dinovski, Serovski, Catevski, Zorswski, Cralevski, Cotevski, Nicevski, Anastasovski, Citanovski,

Knox opened very brightly and had several chances in the first five minutes with chances falling to Dixon and Di Deo.

talling to Dixor and DI Deo.

Against the run of play Micevski's shot after six minutes
caught Turudia put off position and although he dived he
could only help the ball in.

Murray went just wide and
hen persistence by DiDeo enabled him to retrieve a lost
ball. His cross found House
who headed home.

Nicevski was having a great
game and giving Knox lots of
problems. He scored again
after Smith missed a header
and then a cracking shot hit
the bar and bounced on the
line.

the our and countries in a countries in a countries and after a good save by Turudi was followed up with the easiest of chances.

DIVISION TWO

BROADMEADOWS CITY 2 (Penzo, Zuan CITY 2 (Penzo, Zuanett). SPRINGVALE CITY 1

(Graener).

BROADMEADOWS: Pace,
Jones, Acosta, Sendra, Vizzini,
Sacco, Addy, De Sa, Zuenetti,
Penzo, Vaccaro.
SPRINGVALE: Runje, Keogh,
Heiblg, Wessels, Sottle, Gollan,
Malt, Pendry, Lennon, Patten,
Greener

Two promotion contenders fought out a hard but fair

Iwo promotion contenders fought out a hard but fair game.

Broadmeadows kicking with the wind, incurred two early bookings, and were pegged back by a confident Springvale outfut Broadmeadows keeper saved well from Greener and with defences dominant a 9th half time score resulted.

Springvale resulted.
Springvale resulted to the solder the restart and it was after the restart and it was after pool work by Lennan and Pendry.

This was the signal for Broadmeadows two open up and with Springvale committed to further increase their lead, Broadmeadows twice broke through to register a closely fought victory.

MELBOURNE 1 (McDo-

MELBOURNE 1 (McDo-nald) ARDEER 1 (Wis-niewski)

niewskij
MELBOUNE Green, McConville, Varph, Harrington, Gaszmann,
Bid, Betraley, Bentley, McDonald,
Miller, Hibbit, Whiteburst, Hogan,
ARDERE, Darch, Blichasz,
Kuczynaki, Olinowski, J Christon
Kuczynaki, Olinowski, J Christon
Dylkin, N. Christondias, Solike,
Beat Playars, MeBourne – Bird,
Miller, McConville. Andeer: Wänniewski, Czennecki, Blichasz,
micewski, Czennecki, Birchasz,

Mellor, McConville, Ardeer: Winniewski, Cornecki, Bichesa.

Melbourne and Ardeer drew
1-1 in a very entertaining
match, only marred by some
very bad refereeing.

Both teams had scoring opportunities in the first half
with Ardeer's best opportunity
coming in the 32nd minute
when Christoudias sent Sailbad
through who only managed to
hit the upright.

The properties of the properties of the conminute when Wisniewski
slotted home a loose ball from
inside the area.

In the 78th minute a poor
refereeing decision saw McDonald obtain the equaliser. Although the final result 1-1 was
disappointing, Ardeer's effort
and teamwork was tremendous.

DIVISION THREE YALLOURN 1 (Williams, SUNBURY UTD 2 (Camp bell, Train).

YALLOUNR: Plavins, Thompson, Bianconi, Douglas, Williams, Stansbury, Hirlart, Henderson, Wilson, Cassar, Duljas, SUN, Stansbury, Hirlart, Henderson, Sully LITD: Geech, Gray, Duncason, Ctarke, Blackley, Evens, Campelli, Train, McCorquodals, Thompson, Stawart, Subs. — Scott, Mark, Saston.

Sunbury won a very good game on Saturday at Yallourn with a good competitive per-

Penalty helps Fawkner. **Bozikas sent off**



By JOE PICIOANE

FAWKNER 2 (C. Sabidussi, Tuffield) WESTERN SUBURBS 1 (Howe)

FAWKNER: Tarzini G, Petrov G, Fattore 7, Geoney G-5, Schipano 7, B. Sabbidusi G. C. Sabbidusi G (Sabedini 30th), Meimanti G (Anzelme Hoto E), Basilusa G (sant of both), Tuffeld G-5, Gurcije G. Y. W. SUBURBS: Johnston G. Kypirdidi 7, Kupica G, Matheou S, Howe G-5, Vojak 7, Mooro 7-5, Lokas S-6, Blorci, Segli S, S. Kleini G (S. Dimuski 65th),

Veltok 7. Moore 7-5, Lokas 5-5 (Borc), Sopl 6, S. Klains 5 (S. Dimuski 65th).

Z. Gilmour 6.

The clash between these two sides was to determine who would have the better chance of promotion and Fawkner was somewhat lucky to escape with points, thanks to a well taken goal by lan Tuffield.

The game started with Suburbs combining well with Kypirtitis starting many Suburbs' attacks down the right side.

Suburbs however did not capitalise on Fawkner's slack marking the suburbs however did not capitalise on Fawkner's slack marking self had a shot well saved by Terzini.

Then Fawkner worked the ball up the left and it came to Bozikas in the box. In trying to kick the ball over his shoulder towards goal it hit Billy Vojtek on the hand and the referee hesitantly blew for a penalty.

Carlo Sabidussi took the kick and sent Johnson the wrong way. The second half started with Tony Manienti being replaced by Mario Anselma who created problems for the Suburbs defence with his skill.

Then in the 60th minute Bozikas was sent off for allegedly striking Johnson.

king Johnston.

Suburbs capitalised on Fawkner's lapse after the incident and Howe lobbed the ball over Terzini who was badly placed. It looked like curtains for Fawkner and Suburbs attacked constantly until the 78th minute when the tall Tufleld played an excellent one-two with Bruno Subidussi and let fly with a left foot shot that beat Johnston all the way.

As the full-time whistle blew, Fawkner rejoiced at getting a step closer to its ambition of playing in the State League.

formance from both teams which entertained the fans. Sunbury went into the lead at 30 minutes when a cross from Ray Evans on the right wing was headed in off the post by midfielder Trevor Campbell.

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Yallourn equalised just
after half time when they split
open the Sunbury defence with
a series of one-twos and Alan
Williams slotted home.

Williams slotted home
Subury's left winger
Hughie Stewart was causing
all sorts of problems to the
Yallourn defence and at 70
minutes was pulled down just
inside the penalty area.
George Train slammed the
ball home for the winner.
Sunbury centre half Alan
Blackley was sent off with 18
mins to go for dissent.

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Under new coach Fred Brooks, United had Rosanna at full stretch for the first half. Ergnini's goal and Brown's equaliser were both due to errors by the keepers. In the 15th minute United's one touch soccer bore fruit with a good goal by Chighine. Only two brilliant and courageous saves by Barber kept United from extending their lead.

The second half was Rosanna's which took the string out of United's attack by denying ball supply to Ergnini.

Three goals by Mooney from the right in the Sith, through the centre in the 75th and from the left in the 83rd gave Rosanna Victory. Some supplied have found the game exciting but the quality of soccer was nothing to write home about.

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odigrao je sa Buljevicem dupil pas I zavrsio pa sa evojim ostrimesatim golom u ovoj sazoni. U drugom po- hvremenu, odigraos sa Buljevicem istovetan dupil pas, postici svoj pet- neasti goli omoguciti svom timu da citivih 4 miouta. U polovini tog	tovramano njegov golgeter. U ovoj godini Vega ja postigeo 15 golova, namestio jos 15 jrugima i u svakoj utakmici bio jedan od najboljih igraca na tranu. Uvek kad ga gledamo ne mozemo	Kew FR Rengers 8 1 2 5 224 4 G. Werstley A 8 1 2 5 324 4 Box Hill A 8 1 1 6 10 23 3 Knox City 8 0 2 8 2 31 2 EASTERN T Sth S-Value A 8 8 0 0 44 2 16 December 3 1 8 5 2 3 1 5 11 11	Berwick 9 6 3 0 15 4 15 Basemer's A 9 5 1 2 27 12 13 Mortialize 9 5 1 2 20 10 13 Beronia 9 5 0 4 11 10 10 Frankttee Pines 9 4 1 4 29 13 9 Semborl A 9 4 1 4 19 22 9	11 pm is only to half-sta the case, as Scotland's po Alan Brazil would be the fi to testify. Fifteen minutes before t	humidity, not only here in Malaga, but in Seville and even in supposedly cooler Bilbao, could be the reason for the eclipse of so many British
trakmicu real u avoju korist. Svo vreme JUST se je trudio da parine Hellasoven napade pa je i sam prelatio u protivnapade. Tada se is-postavljalo da Hellas i nije boliji timo dJUST-a, da u tom timu ima puno: ali bazuspesno nazalost.	da se otmemo nadi i zelji da ovog mladica sto pre vidimo u JUST- ovum dresu tima Philipa Liga, sal- gumi smo da bi za tim JUST-a bio otkrovenje silcno sedamnaestogo- disnjem reprezentativou Severne	F.T. Gully B' 9 4 3 2 21 8 11 Numa City B' 8 4 3 1 16 4 11 Northcots Cy B 6 4 1 1 16 5 9 Ricqueod Utd 9 4 0 5 21 11 8 Kryshoresph 8 2 2 4 9 12 8 Malgrave B' 9 2 1 6 4 21 5	Moornobark 9 3 2 4 12 19 8 Sandringham 9 3 0 6 8 25 8 Mornisgtan 9 1 2 6 7 22 4 Mitchan 9 0 3 6 7 18 3 SOUTH-EAST 10' Marrumbeena 7 6 1 0 30 6 13	end of each game, two plays are picked at random for routine urine test (the shad of Willie Johnston hangs of the Cup still), and one night	star status previously. Scotland seemed to suffer most in this regard. Who would have imagined the total
nesigumih mesta i rupa, i da pod portiskom Helas gubi glavu. Tako se deallo da u 25. miun. Sva njihova danasnja galantna bratis terena predje trojicu Igraca Mellasa i da se 20 metara kou iz topa Hellasa i da se 20 metara kou iz topa	Irske Whitehead-u, koji je u Spaniji "udarao zvrcku" svim profes- ionalcima seta. Na vrata "starijih momaka" iz ovoga tima kucaju braca Barjakta-	Vermant 9 1 2 6 8 35 4 G. Waverley 'B' 9 0 1 8 2 48 1 EASTERN 'D' South Dendances 7 6 8 1 44 4 12	Sauth Oddeigh 7 5 0 2 33 11 18 8 8ingwood United 7 4 0 3 20 15 8 8ingwood United 7 4 0 3 20 15 8 Doveton 7 4 0 3 16 15 8 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	was Brazil's turn. But Brazil was so del drated that he couldn't ma age, despite having cold wa poured over him and bei	woeful showing of Graham souncess, and Alan Hansen's struggle for form?

Igre Ristavski u dva kvedratna metra terena predje trojicu igraca Hellasei da sa 20 metare koo iz topa Protese loptu ne u mrezu nego KROZ MREZU protivnickog goda. Cetvir sata ksanije JUST je izvedio komare sa leva strane a pred vedio komare sa leva strane a pred ugraca oba tima. Epidadio je da su svi igraca oba tima. Epidadio je da su svi igraca i stom trenutku isli na tu joptu. Ne za sa se sacno ko loptu nije dirnou i od kopa igraca se ona postano i ubeci. Na sa se osa kopa nije dirnou i od kopa igraca se osa nije dirnou i od kopa igraca se osa nije direktima i provisi na 31. Simici Ristovski nasil su se jedan porad drugoga u napedu ne Hellasov god sa usamijelmi protivnickim igracam ispred seba, sil je disalnu sansu upropastio Ristovski kad je umesto de loptu pruzi slo-

borba za bodove, nektm drijavim pukim slucajem, protvorila se u ne-zasluzen bedasti porzz. Od gotovins se napravila verselja, od na izpiłed sigurnog boda u dzepu, kuci se lato poziolini skie, a sto je najgora i na tabeli, JUST postaje jeden od kamitalni, JUST postaje jeden od kamitalni su postansku Philips Ligi. ISPOD 18 GODINA PRESKOCILI JUS JEDNU PREPONU JUST-60 vtim lapod 18 godina igrano je prosle subota na glavnom svoju trzeu. KUP utaknika pretiv jakog Morelandovog "A" tima i pobesicio ga sa rezultatom 1:0 (poluvreme 0:0).

Ovom pobadom, ovaj izvanredni tim JUST-a kvalifikovao se za cetvrt filasla Kupa viktorijanskih timova ispod 1 godina.

Na vreta "starijih momake" is ovoge tima kucipi breca Benjiktarrevici, Chileanas Jimy Fernandar, Roman Filipović Zoran Vilajnigi jes nekoliko drugih, sid koja korist od toga, kad ove stalentovane miadice toga, kad ove stalentovane miadice Justa Vilajnica ve sezone zazid ce se oni na sve strane "mili moji, kud koji" - i svo zalegulja i trud, ave ljuhav koja se tim strane raznih Karica I Vilajnica ostace da se kjednaci sa onom poznatom nesom: "de si blo? - Nigdel Sta si cedio? - NiSTAI" A mozda cemo se i blut u glavu dali malog EDI VEGU kako u dresu nekod drugog kluba Philipa Lege nebija golove bas JUST-u.

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drated that he couldn't manage, despite having cold water
poured over him and being
stood in an ice-bucket (now
there's a torment for a man
gasping for a drink!) Until
finally, at 3.30 am, the FIFA
officials relented and let him
go back to the hotel, to be fetched back next morning when
he successfully did the trick.
That test, was fronically,
ruled invalid anyway, because
he had not been chaperoned
through the night by a FIFA
official.
Canny Jock Stein had the
last word.
Asked at a Press conference
the day after the Brazil game

England was more fortun-ate. Brooking wasn't exposed and poor Kevin Keegan was in-jured but in Bryan Robson it has a player of very high quali-ty who could become great.

ty who could become great.

But then there are the Brazilians. Their second-half performance against Russia had to be seen to be believed and just to show it wasn't a flash in the pan, they turned it all on against Scotland.

Those two hours of magic more than compensate for the endless boredom served up by some others.

Burrows rejoins Blacktown



NSW State League with ALEX VESIC

arly competition leader, ashed at Cromer Park to Yugal, following a dismal second half performance. After beating Yugal by 5-0 at Concord earlier this year, it was expected that Manly would do a "doub-

However, Yugal had other ideas and with three second half goals completely shattered Manly.

At Queanbeyan, Croatia scored a runway 4-1 victory to skip to a three point lead from Blacktown, which failed to produce more than one point from its visit to Cronulla.

Rale Rasic made a deal last week with PSL side APIA Leichhardt which won back last year's striker. Paul Burrows. Peter Jones had gone to Leichhardt and some money came back with Burrows in the exchange.

came back with Burrows in the exchange. I have a sneaky suspicion that Rale did extremely well in this exchange. Burrows in fact, almost made his mark for Blacktown scoring from soem 25 metres out, but his goal was cancelled as one of Blacktown's players was offside.

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Riverwood came back from a slump which netted four losses to record its biggest win of the season against bottom of the table Bankstown City. Parker and Walker scored two a piece and Terry Jones one in a 5-0 drubbing of Mike Johnson's team.

While it is difficult to see anyone toppling Croatia from the top it is now fairly evident that Bankstown will from the top it is now fairly evident that Bankstown will have to produce miracles to get off the bottom of the table. Rockdale, with one point from Knight Park against Avala, is a point ahead of Bankstown and will go into the game agaist Riverwood at St George Stadium next Saturday feeling less pressure than Bankstown which entertains Sutherland at the Soccer Centre next Sunday.

Sutherland now has gone seven games without defeat and will be looking forward to the game against Bankstown to further improve its position in its quest for one of the Jop Jour spots.

Croatia almost is assured of

four spots.

Croatia almost is assured of a place in the four, while Blacktown, Manly, Riverwood, Sutherland and Canterbury follow, separated by only three points.

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Four of the top sides appear
to have an easy passage next
week, while Croatia will entertain Manly Warringah at King
Tomislav Park next Saturday
in the derby of the round.

Melita 0

Accorer: Hollowey, Dale AUBURN: Walker, Quigley, McInnerney, Prgomoğa, Hardwick, Atwall, Turner, Dale, Allen, Carney, MELITA EAGLES: McPherson, McCoy, Ankudinotf, Daley, McCoy, Ankudinotf, Daley, Allen, Jamiseon, Campball

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Meilita Eagles has a definite
PSL look about It. One only has
to have a look at the line-up of
this side and to see that it is
"deceer prowess is concerned.
However, this foreman has
taken long service leave, it
appears. The speed and ability
of Campbell and Allan, virtue
sity of Martinez and Farruga,
the Scheming of Cross and
Jamieson, the strength of Ankudinoff, McGinn, McCoy and
Daley... the mere look at the
team sheet before the game
must scare an opponent.

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Well, since Melita players
have obviously decided that
they do not have to try, but
wait for Auburn to lay down

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3. The team against which he scored the goals.
4. Date of the game.
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forward the certificates free of charge. The boys' names will also appear in our list of "Hatr-trick Heroes", published every week. This week's hat-trick heroes.

Bradley Zealley, 9, (Lyndale United); Matthew Dalle Nogare, 7, six goals (Nunawading City); Jason

and die, things did not exactly fall into place for them. Anburn not only dominated some of the proceedings during the first half, but completely outclassed their "classy" opponent to win by a two goal margin.

From the moment McPherson put his fingers to a fine attempt by Micky Dale early in the first half, Meilta supporters must have wondered what was in store for them.

Auburn's early enthusiasm developed into a fine attacking game during the second half which produced both goals. Carney was the first to threaten McPherson when he beat Meilta's offisde trap to face the keeper but his lob missed the post. Mark Holloway repeated the dose some 10 minutes later, but with 16 minutes later, but with 16 minutes to go Auburn went into the lead.

Micky Dale broke through

minutes later, but with 16 minutes to go Auburn went into the lead.
Micky Dale broke through on the right hand side, crossed into the middle for Mark Holloway to crash past McPherson for goal No I. It was Holloway's seventh goal of the season and fifth in the last seven games which lifted the young lad to within three goals of the top scorers in State League.

young lad to within three goals of the top scorers in State Leawing the top scorers in State Leawing. Holloway broke through once more only to be brought down by the keepr and from a resultant penalty Micky Dale scored to put Auburn 2-0 up. Hector Martinez, one of the most skilful players in the league, but also one of the most skilful players in the league, but also one of the most unpredictable, came unstuck during a melee following a referee's decision to award Auburn a penalty. He was given a yellow card by the referee for moving the ball of the mark, after Dale placed it for a penalty kick, and subsequently got in an argument with the ref, getting himself a red card.

It was a sad exit for Martinez and almost surely a sad end to Melita's run for a top four spot. They are still in with an outside chancae, but must beat all of the top four contenders on the way, facing Riverwood, Croatia, Sutherland and Canterbury in successive rounds beginning on 25 July then Blacktown in the second last round.

That's a tall order.

Manly O

Manly 0 Yugal 3

Scorars: Benecke 2, Milhajiovic MANLY: Ellis, K. Falconer, Doyle, Wilson, Geoghaen, Leck, Noble, Jack (Van Holden 671, Stuart (Sproch 75), Repan, Fox, YUGAL: Woston, Randall, Cummings Woston, Randall, Cummings Minajiovic, Benecka, Rodas, Pahor, TAnovski.

Yugal produced the shock of the round by walloping Manly at Cromer Park to shatter the home side's unbeaten run at Manly this season. It was a complete turnabout following carlier this year.

Manly started off well enough and looked the more likely side to win during the first 45 minutes of this game, but inexplicably, it slackened off during the second period and allowed Yugal to storm home with goals from Benecke in the 54' and Benecke yet again in jury time.

in the 54', then Mihallovic in the 87' and Benecke yet again in injury time.

There were cries of: "Terry, come back please', as Manly forwards continuously came unstuck against tail yugal defenders. Terry Smith, sunbattling in Spain a series of the sunbattling in Spain as the sunbattling in the sunbattling Malaga), is definitely missing at Cromer, not only for his scoring ability but also for his leadership. Yugal, the side which came back to State League after

goals (Mocroolburk); Mario Odak,
It (Highpoint Northern A); Nick
Eastwood, 13 (Beaumaris); R.
Chetkuth, 13, D. Gerewakh, 13, A.
Zacharias, 13 (Sunshine Heights),
Jason Moody, 13, Gur goals (SunJason Moody, 14, Gur goals,
Magdie, 12 (Melbourne Crostia);
Cory D. Watters, 9, four goals
(Beaumaris); Richle Mescalo, five
goals, Anthony Rotendo, five goals,
Darrae Wilson, four goals, Nicholas
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Jason Martin, 11, Robert Petrekh, 10
(South Springvale); Steven Kisells,
Jl, Mark Sady, 12, four goals (Ardeer); Stephen Muretle, 6, four
goals, Komeinstallase Materia, 11
(North Reservoir); Robert WoodJanie Docherty, 8, four goals,
Junited); David Carusana, 12
(Springvale City), Parry Kapetanas, 10, Nick Yosiffels, 10 (MordialJoc), Adam Easten, 10, Nino Simanovic, 10, four goals (Ringwood
Linited); David Carusana, 12
(Synan Hill); Peter Cybula, 8,
Wayne Woltsche (Mascots), Attanasio Garrigold, 10 (Clayyon), Nigel
Michaels 13 (Hasshmoon) Rasolich

Hat-trick heroes

IVERWOOD - BANKSTOWN Parker 2, Walker 2, T. Jones THERLAND — BLACKTOWN

D-0
AVALA - ROCKDALE 2-2, Ruiz,
Tilt (A), Morsello, Trajanovski (R)
JM UNITED - CROATIA 1-4,
McLeod (JMU), Coleman 2, Coyne

McLeod (JMU), Coleman 2, Coyne 2 (Cr) AUBURN — MELITA EAGLES 2-

0, Holloway, Dale				
Crostia	11 4	2	31-7	2
Blacktown	9 5	3	29-21	3
Musly Warringah17	9 4	4	31-20	2
Riverwood	10 2	5	34-27	1
Canterbury	8 5	4	26-19	4
Sutherland	8 4	4	26-16	1
Melita Eagles	5 6	6	27-23	1
Yuani	6 4	6	24-28	1
Polonin	47	6	12-13	
Auburn	5 4	8	16-23	
Avain	3 5	7	28-30	
JM United	3 5	9	20-35	1
Rockdele	2 5	10	19-41	
Backstown	24	11	21-41	

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THIS WEEK:
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7. Hollowey (Aub), Alien (ME) years of First Division competition, looked far more composed throughout the game and particularly menacing in the second half, with Mihajlovic in command around the command around the sprock and Van Helden came on to bolster the attack for Manly in a desperate bid to save a point towards the end of the second half, but to no avail, as Manly's forward thrust opened its backline to Yugal's speedy counter attacks and resulted in two late goals.

Avala 2 Rockdale 2

Scorers: Ruiz, Thi (A), Morsello, Trajanovski II, Thi (A), Morsello, Trajanovski II, Thi (A), Morsello, AVALA: Anna, Lembryk, Deller AVALA: Anna, Barton, Vujinovic, Direisc, Minow, Williams, Tit, Ruiz, Karnfilovski. ROCKOALE: Davis, Martin, O-Rourke, A. Bottalico, Pilovski, Johnson, Smith, Tuntevski, Morsel-lo, Trajanovski, Travini.

Johnson, Smith, Tuntuvski, Mornolto, Trajanovski, Travink.

For the second week in a row Avala has made a mess of its chances allowing, this time Rockdale, to escape with a point. In fact Rockdale almost took both points following Dellers inexplicable back pass at the start of the second half which gave Rockdale the lead through Trajanovski.

The visitors hung on till 9 minutes from time, when Bruce Tilt scored a good good point is cand Williams.

That was also the goal which saved Till Trout who watched on the specific of the contract of the second contract of the

That was also the goal which saved Tilt from the ire of some of the spectators who watched him squander chance a during this match. Morsello gave his side the lead midway during the first half, but Ruiz equalised from a penalty following a foul by Alex Bottalico on Branko Karafilovski minutes from the end of the first period. During the second half we

During the second half we saw the saga of missed opportunities by Tilt, then a goal by the same player to see the two sides locked at 2-2 at the end of the game.

end of the game.

After the game Avala's coach, Steve Lalic, disappointed with the result, did not point a finger at his forward but did say that Bruce could have been at the top of the scoring chart in the league had he had more lick in front of good.

of goal.

As for Rockdale, this point moves it off the bottom of the table but does little to enhance its real chances of escaping relegation. Next Saturday it faces Riverwood, the side which beat it 3-1 in the 6th round, back in April this year.

They'll have to play considerably better then against Avala should they have an idea of picking up another point or possibly two.

Sutherland 0 Blacktown 0

SUTHERLAND: Haynas, Hes-ford, Cashman, Dalforno, K. Schu-marn, Groone, Watkins, Clinch, Bush, Rogers, Harrington. BLACKTOWN: James, Whestley, Quarmby, Brogan, Pointer, Salva-ge, Gomes (O'Shans 80'), Camp-bell, Burrows, Johnstons, Kirwan.

One point apiece in an enter-taining game was a fair result but not the one which helped solve the problems at the top.

Sutherland, with seven games without a defeat, is now only three points away from Blacktown in second position and in with a great chance of making the top four.

It has played Croatia, Canterbury and Blacktown in the last three rounds getting four out of a possible six points and with Riverwood and Manly yet to play in the re-maining 9 rounds look a "safe bet" to be amonest the four.

ΤΑ ΝΕΑ ΤΩΝ ΟΜΑΔΩΝ ΜΑΣ ΑΠΟ ΤΟ ΣΗΜΕΙΟ ΤΟΥ ΠΕΝΑΛΤΥ

NEA NIKH THE AGEAE PIAPPABIA ΞΕΦΥΓΕ 6 ΒΑΘΜΟΥΣ ΜΠΡΟΣΤΑ OYMA THE TO KAIDTON XIA HOY EXACE KAI THN 2n OEEH

Η πρωτοπόρος τής Β΄ κατηγορίας τού Προβί ζιοναλ ΔΟΞΑ ΓΙΑΡΡΑΒΙΑ πήρε καί τό ντέρμπυ έκτός έδρας μέ τό Κλίφτον Χίλ 2-Ι Ι καί βαδίζει όλοταχώς γιά την κατάκτηση τού τίτλου.

Μέ τήν νέα αύτή νίκη της ή κυανόλευκη όμάδα ξέφυγε μέ 6 βαθμούς άπό τό 2ο Μπουλήν καί 7 άπό τό Κλίφτον Χίλ πού τό έστειλε στήν 3η θέση.

Τό παιγυίδι ήταν δυνατό καί οί παίκτες καί των δύο όμάδων κυνήγησαν μέ πείσμα τήν μπάλλα καί στά 90 τής συνάντησης. Ή όμάδα τού Γιάρραβιλ πήσε δίκαια τήν υίκη γιατί ήταν πιδ άποτελεσματική καί μέ λίγη προσοχή θά είχε πετύχει καί τρί το τέρμα τό όποίο έχασε μόνος μέ πενή έστία δ Τίμ Παπαχριστοδούλου.

Τόν άγώνα διαιτήτευσε μέ μεγάλη έπιτυxía ó x.JIM SRENNAN Basuot IO. Οί γηπεδούχοι προηγήθηκαν στό 38 άπό χοντρό σφάλμα τής άμυνας τής Δόξας πού σέ μιά άλλαγή τής μπάλλας μπερδεύτηκαν καί παρεχώρησαν πέναλτυ.

Στήν έπανάληψη ή Δόξα πέρασε στήν έπίθε ση καί στό 55΄ ό Χύτας μετά άπό κόρνερ έστειλε τήν μπάλλα στόν Φακρίδα ό όποίος μέ τρομερή πεφαλιά πάρφωσε τήν μπάλλα στα δίπτυα τού Κλίφτον.

Πρίν καλά - καλά σταματήσουν οί πανηγυρισμοί γιά την ισοφάριση ήλθε καί τό δεύτερο τέρμα μέ τόν Τίμ Παπαχριστοδού-λου ό όποίος έξυπνα πέρασε τήν μπάλλα έπάνω άπό τόν τερματοφύλακα τού Κλίφτον γράφοντας τό τελικό 2-Ι.

Μέ τήν νίκη της αύτή ή Δόξα Γιάρραβιλ έφραξε πολλά στόματα καί μάλιστα έδωσε μιά άπάντηση στίς άσκοπες καί φθηνές δηλώσεις τών ύπευθύνων τού Κλίφτον Χίλ οί όποίοι άφού γνωρίζουν ότι ή όμάδα τους έχει μικρές δυνατότητες έν τούτοις άυτί νά κυττάξουν νά τήνκάνουν καλύτερη καί μάλιστα έλληνική, άφου ώς γνωστόν άγωνίζουται Αργεντινοί, Γιουγκοσλάβοι, Ίταλοί καί... Έλληνες, προσπάθησαν νά έπτοξεύσουν δηλώσεις άστείες γιατί ή πρωτοπόρος ΔΟΞΑ άπήντησε μέσα στό γήπεδο τίμια καί καθαρά.

'Από τήν νικήτρια πού έλειπαν οί δύο βα σικοί της παίκτες Νικολαίδης καί Τερζά-

κης δέν ύστέρησε κανένας. Σταθερός ὁ κάπταιν Νίκος 'Αποστολίδης κάτω άπό την έστία του καί θαυμάσια ή άμυντική γραμμή μέ τούς Τζαμπάζη, Ντένη Αποστολίδη, Δημητρίου καί Τώνη 'Αμανατί δη ό όποίος ήταν καί ό πρώτος παίκτης. Στούς μέσους ό Πετρίδης στό Β'μέρος ήταν ύπέροχος καί πήρε τό παιγνίδι έπάνω του.

Ο Καλλιπολίτης έκανε ένα άπό τά καλύτε ρα παιγνίδια του, ένώ ό Τίμ Παπαχριστοδούλου ήταν πανταχού παρών, έτρεξε παντού, βοήθησε τήν άμυνα καί τήν έπίθεση καί πέτυχε καί τό γκόλ τής νίκης. Στήν έπίθεση ό Νίκος Μελέτης παρά τού ότι ήταν μπλοκαρισμένος μέ δύο καί περισσότερους άντιπάλους, κινήθηκε σωστά και ήταν διαρκής άπειλή γιά τούς άντιπά

Μαγητικός ό Χύτας καί ό Φακρίδας τεγνίτης ένώ έχει στό ένεργητικό του ένα ύπέ ροχο τέρμα πού άνοιξε τόν δρόμο γιά τήν νίκη. Ο Μαρκάκης ήταν φιλότιμος. Γενικά ή πρωτοπόρος Δόξα πήρε δίκαια τήν νίκη και άπέδειξε ότι δίκαια βρίσκε ται στήν θέση αύτή.

ΑΠΑΝΤΗΣΗ ΤΟΥ ΠΡΟΠΟΝΗΤΗ ΤΗΣ ΔΟΞΑΣ PIAPPABIA ETON YMEYOYNO ETI TOY ΤΥΠΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΚΛΙΦΤΟΝ ΧΙΛ

Σγετικά μέ τίς δηλώσεις τού ύπευθύνου έπί του Τύπου του Κλίφτον Χίλ κ.Φ. Σκορδούλη, ότεχνικός τής Δόξας Γιάρραβιλ Μάνος Μήλιος άπαντάει τά έξης προμειμένου νά άποματαστήσει την άλήθεια.

™Τό νά κάνει κανείς δηλώσεις πώς ή όμάδα του θά νικήσει,όπως ό πρόεδρος τού Κλίστου Χίλ.είναι δικαίωμά του. Τό νά πιστεύει κανείς στήν νίκη τής όμά δας του δέ του άπαγορεύει κανένας, άσχε-

τα άν τά προγυωστικά του στό τέλος δέν Βγούν σωστά. Οί δηλώσεις όμως τού κ. Σκορδούλη ξεπέρα σαν τήν σοβαρότητα καί έφτασαν στό σημείο τού άστείου.

Συγκεκριμένα δήλωσε ότι ή όμάδα του θά κέρδιζε τό ντέρμπυ(δικαίωμά του)άλλά τό *

ότι μάς είπε ότι έφτασε"ή ώρα τής άλήθειας" καί ότι ή Δόξα "νίκησε μερικά παι χυίδια μέ τό σπαθί της καί άλλα μέ τήν ... τύχη" δείχνει καθαρά ότι είχε πρόθε ση νά πετάξει μιά κάποια δόση άπό φαρμά κι είς βάρος τής κυανόλευκης τού Γιάρρα βιλ καί ξέχωρα στόν τεχνικό της. Καί ρωτάμε τόν κ. Σκορδούλη: Μήπως ή άλήθεια είναι ότι έχετε καλύτερη όμάδα άπό τήν Δόξα; Γιατί άν συνέβαινε κάτι τέτοιο θά ήταν τό Κλίφτον Χέλ τώρα 7 βαθμούς πίσω άπό την όμάδα τού Γιάρραβιλ. Ή άλλη έρώτηση είναι γιά την τύχη:Πόσα άραγε παιχνίδια της Δόξας παρακολουθήσα τε κ. Σκορδούλη καί είδατε νά εύνοεί ή τύχη τήν Δόξα; Μήπως αύτό μέ τήν όμάδα σας τού Α' γύρου πού κατά λάθος πήρατε ίσοπαλία μέσα στό Γιάρραβιλ; Ποιές είναι οί όμάδες πού πέρδισε μέ τήν εύνοια τής τύχης. Από τήν σκοπιά μου σάς πληροφορώ ότι άν ή τύχη μάς ήθελε δέν θά είχαμε χάσει ούτε άπό τό 'Αμποτσφορντ,πού είναι καί

ή μοναδική μας ήττα. Αυπάμαι γιατί πίστευα ότι είχατε κάποια σχέση μέ τό ποδόσφαιρο καί τό καλύτερο πού θά πράξετε είναι νά πλαισιώσετε τήν όμάδα σας μέ έλληνόπουλα γιά νά

μπορείτε νά την λέτε έλληνική. Ή ΔΟΞΑ έκεί πού βρίσκεται είναι μέ τό σπαθί της.

HTTA TOY MAABEPN 2-I

Έχασε τό Μάλβερν Σίτυ άπό τό Ρήτζεντ μέ 2-Ι άν καί στό μεγαλύτερο διάστημα τής συνάντησης ήταν άνωτερο άπό την φιλοξενούμενη όμάδα.

Τό μοναδικό τέρμα πέτυχε ό Λιχούδης. Έπαιξαν οί Μακέν. Παπαδόπουλος, Τσώμος, Σταθόπουλος, Πετρόπουλος, Λιόλιος, 'Αρζά. νας, Βάρσος, Σκαμάγκας, (46' Τάσιος) Λιχούδης καί Παλαμάρας.

Ή Β'όμάδα έφερε ίσοπαλία 3-3 (Τάσιος 2 καί Κωνσταντίνου.

IΣΟΠΑΑΙΑ ΤΟ ΩΚΛΗ ΜΕ ΤΟ ΡΟΣΜΠΑΝΤ O-O

'Αν καί έπαιζε καλά τό 'Ωκλη έκτός έδρας μέ τό ισχυρό Ρόσμπαντ, τελικά κέρδισε μόνο έναν βαθμό άπό τήν λευκή ίσοπαλία πού έφερε.

Από την κυανόλευκη όμάδα δέν έπαιξαν οί Στεργίου, Γ. Καμπυλάκης καί δ Τζίτζης. Καλύτεροι παίκτες ήταν οί Τσιάπος, Πεχλι βανίδης και ό τερματοφύλακας Σγούρας. Έπαιξαν οί Σγούρας, Λουκάς, Πεχλιβανίδης Κριβάρης, Μπατικιότο, Κοντοκώστας, Τσιάπος Νταντάλιας, Β. Καμπυλάκης, Κιάκος καί Παπα

Ή Β΄ όμάδα έχασε μέ 2-Ι (Παπαγεωργίου)

3-Ι ΕΧΑΣΕ Ο ΠΥΘΑΓΟΡΑΣ

Στό γήπεδό του έχασε ό Πυθαγόρας άπό τό Μδσφηλυτ. Τό μουαδικό τέρμα πέτυχε ό Σάλτης. Ή Β΄

όμάδα έφερε Ι-Ι (Μάλιος). Οί Ι3ρηδες τού Πυθαγόρα τελείωσαν τόν

Α΄ Γύρο άἡττητοι καί μέ τέρματα 40-5.

ΠΟΛΥΤΙΜΗ ΙΣΟΠΑΛΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΜΟΡΝΤΙΑΛΛΟΚ

Έντός έδρας τό Μορυτιάλλον πήρε πολύτιμη Ισοπαλία άπό τό Στ. Αλμπαυς Ι-Ι. Οί γηπεδούχοι προηγήθηκαν στό 38 άλλά ή έλληνική όμάδα ίσοφάρισε μέ του Κριαρή στό 42'δ όποίος άργότερα είδε κόκκινη κάρτα. Καλύτερος παίκτης ήταν δ τερματοφύλακας Μπόλαντ ὁ όποίος θά βοηθήσει τδ Μορυτιάλλοκ έως τό τέλος τής σαιζόν.



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